

# HEBRON

## Boy and Girl Missing from Home Since Last Saturday.

### Alarmed Parents Sent Word to Surrounding Towns.

#### Earl Reeb, Aged 15, and Edna Black, 14 Years Old, Spent Christmas Day With Latter's Sister, But Haven't Been Seen Since Saturday.

Hebron, O., Dec. 28.—Earl Reeb and Miss Edna Black, fifteen and fourteen years old respectively, are missing, nothing having been heard from either of them since last Saturday morning. Whether they have met with some accident or concluded to elope is as yet a mystery. The authorities in Columbus, Newark and other nearby cities have been notified and asked to keep a sharp lookout for the young people but up to 1:30 o'clock this afternoon no word has been received here telling of their whereabouts.

Earl Reeb is the 15 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Reeb, and Miss Edna Black is the 14 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Black. Last Friday young Reeb went to Geo. Smith's livery stable and hired a rig. The young couple spent Friday with Miss

Black's sister, Mrs. Belle Kneller, who lives a short distance from Hebron. They started home Christmas evening and drove only a short distance in the storm when the horse refused to go farther. Then the young couple returned to Mrs. Kneller's home and remained there all night. They left Saturday morning presumably for their homes in Hebron, but so far have not been located.

Mr. Reeb is one of the proprietors of the Interurban hotel, here and is highly respected, while Mr. Black is a highly respected carpenter of this place.

Nothing was thought of the affair at first as young Reeb bade his parents good night as was customary for him to do, saying "I will be back in a couple of hours." The parents are almost overcome by grief.

shotgun and returning to the house he shot his stepfather in the head. He then went to the police station and gave himself up.

Hazleton, Pa., Dec. 28.—Henry Stauff, fender of New Boston, while playing with his children after returning home from work this morning, became suddenly insane and seizing a revolver sent a bullet through his brain in the presence of his children. He had been brooding for some time over the death of a daughter. He was a well known railroad.

New York, Dec. 28.—A sensational cablegram from London was the signal for another outburst of activity and strength in the local cotton market, which the bulls tried to touch on Thursday. This means a new high record for the crop for the last 25 years.

Chicago, Dec. 28.—Peace in the live-ry strike is as remote as ever, despite the arbitration offer made Sunday by the teamsters. Norman Larson, the union teamster who attempted to cut the traces of a horse drawing a hearse, was fined \$50 in police court this morning. He may be prosecuted under the state law which makes interference with a funeral a felony.

# SCHOOL CODE.

## One Has Been Prepared by State School Commissioner Bonebrake, Which Will Likely be Passed by the Legislature With Little Amendment.

Columbus, Dec. 28.—With the caucuses of the two great branches of the next Ohio general assembly set for next Saturday, and the result of those of the dominant party practically known in advance, there is but little else but legislation to be discussed.

The announcement that the school examiners and school superintendents of the state are to meet in this city Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, has brought out the further fact that school code legislation is to be the burden of their discussion, and that there is now in course of preparation by State School Commissioner Bonebrake a code that will directly reflect the views of the best educators in the state.

For more than a year Mr. Bonebrake, collaborating with such well known school authorities as Prof. Cox, of Xenia, has been at work upon a code with the result that it is practically ready for introduction when the legislature assembles.

The Bonebrake code will probably be read to the teachers who are here next week, and their indorsement for it will be sought.

But even should it not be indorsed, it is almost certain to be adopted as the school code measure that will have the support of Senator Hanna and his friends in the final round-up, and like the municipal code, will be passed eventually as it will be introduced.

school district boards. The members of the boards in cities are to be elected from wards and at large, just as the members of council are now selected by provision of the recently enacted municipal code.

The members of village, township and special district boards are to be elected at large, thus substantially doing away with the system of favoritism now in vogue in townships whereby one member of the board will secure employment as teacher for his son or daughter in the subdistrict of another member of the board and vice versa.

Special school districts are to be provided for because they were created in several instances by the old constitution of the state and cannot be wiped out by decisions of the Supreme court or legislation by the legislature.

In compiling the code State School Commissioner Bonebrake is said to have discovered that there are nearly 1000 sub-school districts in Ohio which cannot maintain their schools more than three months a year, owing to the fact that their poor land values do not enable the raising of sufficient taxes to provide for longer terms, so the new code will provide in such districts that enough be contributed from the state treasury to maintain the schools for a term of six months in every year.

It is expected, of course, that several school codes will emanate from the sources but it is thought all on them will eventually give way to the Bonebrake code and the influence behind it, thus insuring its passage.

# ATTACKS

## ON JEWS AT KISHENEV AGAIN COMMENCED.

### Houses Stoned and Inmates Insulted—Massacre Arranged for Jan. 1.—Populace Encouraged.

Kishenev, Dec. 25.—(Via Frontier, December 27).—The outbreaks against the Jews have already begun.

Incited thereto by the latest propaganda for a second massacre on the Greek church Christmas day, January 7, and by the violent anti-Semitic manifestos, which have been distributed broadcast, the populace has passed from jeering and insulting the Jews to breaking the windows of the Jews' houses and menacing them with personal attack.

Threatening crowds gather at the street corners and the attitude of the Christians is such that the real repression is to keep them from precipitating a general assault on the Semites before the appointed day.

That which seems to have excited the populace most is the declaration of General Urosov, that troops would protect the mobs if the Jews resisted.

The temper of the people is also shown by the fact that the prisoners acquitted at the recent trial have been escorted to their homes in triumph, including the rich student Kawnin, who undoubtedly murdered the Jew, Kalman Waljovitch.

The only safety for the Jews seems now in flight, and already those of Kishenev and indeed of all Bessarabia are preparing to emigrate.

# MOTHER

## Of Murdered Girl Expected to Live Only a Few Days.

Rising Sun, Ind., Dec. 28.—Mrs. Gillespie, mother of Elizabeth Gillespie, who was assassinated, is failing rapidly, and she is expected to live but a few days. New evidence was secured Saturday which tends to tighten the coils around one of the indicted women. Rumors that a mob would visit the jail Saturday night caused Sheriff Rump to take extra precautions. When he told James Gillespie that there was a mob talk he smiled and said: "Harry, I can take a shotgun and make every mob man in Ohio county jump into the river."

### Fell on a Generator.

Lancaster, O., Dec. 28.—Edward Mait, manager of the electric light company, fell from a stepladder upon a generator. The current that shot through his body registered 1,700 volts. His rescuer, James Adams, was severely burned about the arms and body. Mr. Mait is still alive, but there are grave doubts as to his recovery.

# DIXIE READY

## To Carry Regiment of Marines to Ishmus—Ship Carries Complete Outfit for Field Use.

Philadelphia, Dec. 28.—With her deck piled high with stores, every available spot between decks crowded with bales and boxes, her cargo space filled with camp supplies, arms, ammunition, in addition to her normal supply, the cruiser Dixie lies at League Island navy yard ready to sail.

It has on board a regiment of 600 Marines, under Lieutenant Colonel L. W. Waller, together with the brigadier general commanding the marine corps, General Elliott.

The marine companies going out on the Dixie have been brought up to their full limit.

The stores, with which the cruiser is laden so that the red band donating her loadwater line has disappeared, are of a character that denote a permanent occupancy of the isthmus.

Every possible speed was shown in getting the cruiser in trim. The ship's crew worked on Saturday night until midnight, getting boxes of various provisions on board, and the Sunday stillness of the yard was broken by the noise of laboring marines. It was not until sunset that the ship had taken aboard all intended for Colon.

When the Dixie came north she carried provisions enough to last a regiment on the voyage down. The supplies she is now taking on for the use of the brigade on shore, are sufficient, with the addition of fresh meat from the refrigerator ship, to last the column for six months.

Lumber for tent floors means the building of permanent posts, and the large number of wagons taken on board can only be for the use of a force operating in the interior of the country.

Besides this, complete outfits for field use, such as blacksmith's forges, anvils, stores and many other things not usually taken with a marine expedition point out the thoroughness with which the regiment has been fitted out.

# WAR

## Party Growing in Strength.

### A Conflict Between Japan and Russia

#### SEEMS PROBABLE TO THE BEST INFORMED MEN.

#### EFFORT KEEP CHINA NEUTRAL.

#### Correspondent for London Paper Now on His Way to the Orient—Says War is Imminent.

Portsmouth, Eng., Dec. 28.—(Bulletin)—The admiralty today issued a request to all reserve men to notify it as to the address from which they can be summoned by telegraph for active service. In view of the crisis in the Far East this action is considered significant.

Peking, Dec. 28.—The opinion entertained by the best informed diplomats in Peking that war between Russia and Japan is probable and almost inevitable remains unchanged.

Official communications received here from high sources say that the Japanese war party is growing in strength and is bringing all its influences to bear upon the government.

The Chinese Board of War has ordered the Viceroy to furnish full information as to the numbers of foreign trained troops available for active service. The Viceroy's of three of the central provinces in response have reported that 90,000 such troops are in readiness. This unquestionably is a remarkable exaggeration as the great majority of the foreign-trained troops exist only on paper.

The Dowager Empress has issued an edict at the request of Prince Ching, appointing several unknown and probably inexperienced officials as heads of army departments. One such has been appointed Director of Training, another has been given command of the Department of Instruction, while a third has been put in charge of the department which has to do with the supply of ammunition.

Influential officials continue in their determination to keep China neutral, if possible, in the event of war.

#### IT SEEMS INEVITABLE.

New York, Dec. 28.—In the opinion of three passengers who arrived here from Liverpool by the Cunarder Etruria, war between Russia and Japan is now inevitable. This trio consists of Percival Phillips, a war correspondent of the London Daily Express, who is hurrying to the scene of the impending conflict, and R. Krisina and A. J. Desouza, merchants of Shanghai, who have been on a business trip to London, and who are now hurrying back to China.

All three of the travelers seem to have had exceptional sources of information and they bring tidings which are extremely significant. One extraordinary statement which Mr. Desouza made is that the management of the Nippon line of steamships has obtained a British captain for each of its ships and provided each captain with a certified check equivalent to the purchase price of the ship which he commands. These captains have received instructions that immediately upon the outbreak of hostilities they are to hasten to the nearest British consulate, record themselves as British subjects and sole owners of the ships, obtain a British registry for them and hoist the British flag.

"That is true," said Mr. Phillips, who had been listening, "and has been known in England for some time. But it has not been published there, for the reason that English papers at this crisis are not printing news of that kind."

"And," added Mr. Desouza, "they have remained silent on the big shipments of munitions of war which are being made day by day from Woolwich arsenal to the China station."

Why, a whole fleet of fast and especially chartered steamships have been hurried out to the East laden with war material of all kind.

"When I left London," Mr. Phillips interpolated, "it was generally believed that there was a question of a few weeks only. I got my orders from the Daily Express to go to Japan on Saturday and in order to catch the Etruria it was necessary to charter a special train to take me to Liverpool."

Mr. Phillips, whose home is in Pittsburg, left for that city where he will make a brief visit to his mother, and then will start for San Francisco, where he hopes to catch the Pacific mail steamer Sierra, sailing on January 7th.

# STATUE

## OF DOMITIAN FOUND IN ROMAN FORUM.

### Monument Erected by Emperor In His Own Honor In First Century Is Latest Discovery.

Rome, Dec. 28.—Although archaeologists have been digging in the Roman Forum since 1870 they haven't reached the bottom yet, and every month or two the man behind the pick and shovel turns up some valuable relics of the imperial age or the prehistoric period. These relics are taken to the national museum.

The discoveries have become so important of late that the guide-books to the Forum must be corrected annually, and according to scientific prediction, much of interest and value yet remains to be uncovered in addition to the cradle of civil law which Prof. Boni thinks is hidden under the old Spanish convent at the corner where the Roman senate house used to stand.

The latest important discovery is the pedestal of a colossal equestrian statue which the Emperor Domitian erected in his own honor in the first century A. D. It was found buried in the mud of the swamp into which the brave Curtius plunged on horseback. The statue has been described by many writers as one of the wonders of the golden age, a triumph of genius. The excavators have reached that point where more wonderful relics are believed to be hidden, and archaeologists are sanguine that more ancient treasures will be shortly dug up.

# NASH

## Will Return to the Practice of Law After January 11.

Columbus, O., Dec. 28.—Governor George K. Nash, upon his retirement January 11, will return to his law partnership with ex-Congressman John C. Lentz. There has been considerable speculation on this point among the politicians. Governor Nash today made the announcement himself. John J. Lentz, Louis G. Addison, Lincoln Fritter, Worthington E. Babcock, Arthur E. Addison, Frederick N. Sinks and Clarence M. Addison have entered into a partnership contract to engage in the practice of law from and after January 12. The firm name will be "Nash, Lentz, Addison and Fritter."

### FRANTIC RUSH

#### Imprisoned in Two Tugboats That are Fast in the Ice.

Cleveland, O., December 28.—Two large tugs are stuck in the ice a mile and a half from shore in Lake Erie, and a third tug has started to their relief. The two imprisoned boats are the result of one trying to assist the other, the first of which went with provisions for the men at the water cribs several miles out in the lake. A high wind blew a large ice floe into the passage way of the first tug and in trying to assist it the second tug was also caught in the blockade and was compelled to hoist signals of distress. About a dozen men are aboard the two boats. There is a high wind and the thermometer is close to zero.

# DRANK

## Carbolic Acid in the Presence of His Sweetheart.

Knoxville, Tenn., Dec. 28.—J. L. Householder, 19, member of the local "cross freeters" union, who was to have left today for Cincinnati, where he had secured a position, killed himself Sunday night. He was at the house of his sweetheart, Miss Sava Giliam, and in her presence drank carbolic acid. Previously he had kissed his folks goodbye. Failure to secure an early marriage is believed to have been the cause.

### Passengers Escaped.

Wheeling, W. Va., Dec. 28.—The early train on the B. & O. from Washington bearing among the passengers Senator N. B. Scott was almost wrecked this morning in a manner similar to the wreck near Connelville. The wrecked train dashed into two steel cars which had been thrown across the track, but the passengers escaped.

It has been reported that Senator Scott had been offered and declined the chairmanship of the Republican national committee. He has an ideal chairman would be Secretary Ross.

The Prefect of the Seine having placed Paris with posters describing the terrible effects of alcohol and abstinence drinking, the cafe proprietors each filed a damage suit against him.

# RED LIGHT

## Was Blown Out by Wind and Train Dashed by Station.

### Twenty-two Dead and Many More Were Injured.

#### Orders Issued for Relief Train and Wreck Crew Before the Crash Came—Frightful Collision on Pere Marquette Near East Paris, Michigan.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Dec. 28.—The death list resulting from the head-on collision between two Pere Marquette railroad passenger trains, near East Paris, Saturday night, now stands at 22, with 29 persons injured, several of them probably fatally.

#### THE DEAD.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Baldwin, Mulliken, Mich.  
Louis Baldwin, their son, Mulliken, Mich.  
Mrs. Daisy Giles, Lowell, Mich.  
Burt Myers, Grandville, or Lake Odessa, Mich.  
Walter Jordan, Grand Rapids, Mich.  
Joseph Hullum (colored), Windsor, Ontario.  
Austin I. Wager, 192 Sixteenth street, Detroit, baggage man.  
Charles A. Stoddard, Detroit, engineer No. 6.  
Charles A. Devine, Grand Rapids.  
William Heinrich, Detroit, baggage man.  
F. M. Gillett, Burr Oak, or Portland, Mich.

Frank Burns, Detroit, fireman No. 6.  
Peter W. Wierengo, Grand Rapids.  
George Palmer, Detroit, American Express agent on No. 6.  
William Smith, Saravac, Mich.  
Four unidentified men.  
The injured number twenty-nine.

It was the most disastrous wreck in the history of the Pere Marquette system, and instead of being caused by man's carelessness or mistake, is charged to the high wind, which extinguished the red signal light in the order board at McCord's station, where the westbound train was expected to stop and receive new orders. Two minutes before the train rushed by McCord's the light was burning, says the operator there, but in that brief interval the blizzard that was raging extinguished it, and train No. 5 flashed by the station to crash into eastbound train No. 6, near East Paris. The trains, which were two of the finest on the system, were reduced to a promiscuous pile of broken and twisted timber and metal, with dead and injured pinned down and crushed by the fragments of the heavy cars.

Five cars and two large locomotives were jammed into a space ordinarily occupied by three coaches, and the wreckage was strewn across the railroad right-of-way from fence to fence.

When train No. 5, bound west, whizzed by McCord's, instead of stopping, the frightened operator notified the dispatcher, then found that his red light had been extinguished. He reported this fact, and then there was but one action to take. The collision was inevitable. The dispatcher's office called for medical aid and gave orders to hold the train over the Saginaw branch at the depot and get the wreckage outfit under steam. They then waited for the word they knew must come.

There was no chance of the fast-running trains to see each other through the driving blizzard in time to even slow down.

The westbound engine drove through six cars like a wedge, separating the gear from the boiler and standing the latter on end like so much twine. Great steel side rods bent into many shapes and even the steel tires of the big driving wheels split and sprang from the wheels, landing in some cases ten feet from the engine. The boiler of engine No. 297 turned over several times, and the very force of the twisting impact seems to have been the means of saving the life of Engineer Waterman. He was flung forty feet over the fence at the side of the right-of-way. Moon, his fireman, was sitting on the opposite of the cab, and he too, was thrown clear of the pile of wreckage.

As the trains came together the steam domes of each boiler blew off, projecting their contents, else there would have been added horrors from the disintegrating steam.

No. 6 eastbound was composed of a mail and baggage car, combination smoker, buffet car, day coach and three Pullman coaches. The baggage coach caught between the engine and heavy train, coming up like a postcard, only the roof remaining partially unbroken. The Pullman coach, heavily bulkheaded, took the brunt of the blow, but withstood the crash and communication it to the smoker next in the rear. The smoker was swept clean as the mail car telescoped its entire length and turned over at the north side of the track. The smoker in turn crashed several feet into the parlor car and it was at the rear end of the smoker and forward end of the cafe car where all the passengers were killed and injured. Nearby farmers, hearing the crash, turned out with blankets and did valiant service.

According to statements made by officials of the Pere Marquette, the westbound train was traveling down grade at the rate of sixty miles an hour. The eastbound train was climbing the hill at a speed of forty miles an hour. The former carried probably seventy-five passengers, while the latter is believed to have been carrying at least 125 persons. The two trains collided at about the middle of a long, sweeping curve.

When the engines met, one turned completely over and lay with its nose in a direction opposite to that in which it had been climbing. The other climbed the wreckage of the first, its boiler torn from the trucks, standing erect in the center of the debris.

In the cafe coach of the ill-fated eastbound train, which was demolished as far back as the rear of the forward trucks, one of the most shocking of the many tragedies of the wreck was enacted.

Section Foreman Linden J. Baldwin, wife and son had spent Christmas in Grand Rapids and were returning to their home at Mulliken. Between the man and wife, sitting on the top of the car seat and playing with a bank, received as a Christmas gift, was their little son. The crash came and all three met death. A beam flying through the air struck the child, beheading him. Mother and son were found together on the floor of the cafe car by the wrecking crew when they penetrated into the wreck.

### DOZEN MEN

#### To Share in the Salvation Army Dinner at Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 28.—During a stampede of 10,000 men, women and children waiting for admission which followed the opening of the doors of the Coliseum where the Volunteers of America Sunday gave their annual dinner several glass doors were demolished and the dozen policemen on duty at the place managed to restore order with the greatest difficulty.

In the rush several women and children were knocked down and trampled upon, but none were seriously injured. The crowd was the largest ever assembled at such an affair in Chicago, and when every one had been satisfied not a morsel of food remained.

### Oppose Use of Machines.

Washington, Dec. 28.—Columbia Typographical Union No. 101, most of the members of which are employed in the government printing office, decided at a meeting yesterday to oppose the introduction of typesetting machinery in the government establishment. A committee was appointed to represent the union before the house committee having the proposed change under consideration. The union claims that machines cannot do the work. Manufacturers, on the other hand, will endeavor to prove that they can do all classes of government composition.

### Battle Tuesday Night.

San Francisco, Dec. 28.—San Francisco is eagerly awaiting tomorrow night, when Young Corbett and Eddie Hanlon meet for their twenty-round fight. The principals have ceased training and are in perfect condition for a hard contest. Young Corbett has been installed favorite over Hanlon at 10 to 15 to 8 today.

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## DESPERADOES

HELD UP AND ROBBED ALL IN  
THEIR PATH

While the Police Followed Close on  
Their Trail—Blew a Safe at  
Stafford, Pa.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 28.—After per-  
petrating a number of daring holdups  
in the vicinity of Bryn Mawr, Saturday  
night, two armed desperadoes who  
were evidently skilled cracksmen, blew  
open a safe that is used jointly by the  
railroad company and the postoffice at  
Stafford, and after tying up the watch-  
man, escaped with nearly \$1,000.

Philadelphia police, its detective de-  
partment, the United States postoffice  
inspectors, Pennsylvania railroad po-  
lice and the borough authorities are  
cooperating to run down the thieves  
and put an end to the series of rob-  
beries which are terrorizing this sec-  
tion.

It was at 11 o'clock that the des-  
peradoes began their operations. At  
that time James Jordan, coachman for  
John Thomas of Haverford, was com-  
ing out of the Penn hotel at that place.  
He was seized by two men. One of  
them held his hand over his mouth  
while the other pressed a revolver to  
his head. They relieved Jordan of his  
overcoat and money. John Kennedy,  
another Haverford man, appeared at  
this moment and was similarly treated.  
The men leaped a fence and disap-  
peared. Jordan ran down the road cry-  
ing "murder." The Ardmore police  
were ordered out.

Working ahead of them, robbers  
held up everyone they met. At mid-  
night the pair reached Bryn Mawr.  
There they encountered Richard M.  
Cameron, with a party of young women  
he was escorting home. They were  
baited and ordered to give up. The  
women screamed and ran down the  
road. With drawn revolvers and  
threats of murder the desperadoes fol-  
lowed them. They were stopped by  
the sound of horses galloping. The po-  
lice from Ardmore were close upon  
them. Cutting across country the band-  
its reached Villa Nova at 12:35. They  
boarded the train and bought tickets  
to Wayne.

Conductor William Gleason knows  
all the regular patrons of the road. He  
noted the disreputable appearance of  
the men, and it is from his description  
that the authorities hope to capture  
them.

Arriving at Wayne the two tramped  
to Stafford, a mile further on. The  
station closes at 8 o'clock, but James  
Bolger is employed to walk the tracks  
between Wayne and Stafford to keep  
watch on the latter station. At the  
time the bandits reached Stafford Bol-  
ger was in side. They were discovered  
in a shelter shed by Bolger at 2 o'clock.  
"You'll have to get out," he said.  
Grumbling, they obeyed him. Bolger  
went back to the station.

"I had started to doze," he said.  
"When I heard two heavy crashes  
against the door. Instantly the door  
flew open and two men, holding a beer  
leg, jumped into the room. They pull-  
ed out their revolvers and threatened  
to kill me."

Bolger remained quiet while the two  
operated. The bandits picked up the  
key and with it smashed the office  
door. They tore the combination from  
the safe and poured nitroglycerine in  
the crack. The explosion tore the bot-  
tom of the safe and buried the  
door through the window of the sta-  
tion. Quickly rifling it the robbers  
found Bolger. He managed to release  
himself later and gave the alarm at  
the signal tower and a hue and cry fol-  
lowed.

Seven hundred dollars belonging to  
the railroad was taken, as well as \$200  
worth of stamps.

So strong is the Bank of England  
note paper that a single sheet will lift  
a weight of 100 pounds.

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lets. All druggists refund the money  
if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signa-  
ture is on each box. 25c. dt

## THINGS THEATRICAL.

Mrs. Brown-Potter was sued recently  
in England for an alleged infringement of  
copyright in reciting "Hiawatha's  
Wedding."

The New Nixon theater, Pittsburg, is  
the nearest approach to the Grand  
Opera House, Paris, yet attempted. It  
seats 2,300.

John Craig has left Mary Mann-  
ering's company, in which he was play-  
ing the leading male character in "Ju-  
dith." The play has been shelved.

Reports from Berlin indicate that  
Hauptmann's "Rose Bernd" is the  
greatest success since "Fuhrmann  
Henschel," which it somewhat resem-  
bles.

Henry W. Savage has signed con-  
tracts with Oliver Herford and Henry  
Waller to complete for his use a satiric-  
al musical fantasy with the rather odd  
title "McAdam and Eve."

Drina De Wolfe, who was seen last  
season with Henry Miller in "The Tame-  
ing of Helen," is to blossom forth as a  
leading woman in Augustus Thomas'  
"The Pug and the Parson."

A suggestion is made by E. S. Wil-  
lard that in the London theaters the  
following announcement shall be promi-  
nently posted: "Elderly ladies who fear  
to take cold are requested not to re-  
move their hats."

## CURRENT COMMENT.

The helms of the future will be  
known perhaps as a rare and radium  
maiden.—Chicago Tribune.

The Russian bear is a conciliatory  
sort of an animal. When he demands  
ninety-seven points in a hundred he is  
almost always willing to compromise  
on ninety-five or ninety-six.—Indianap-  
olis Journal.

Missionaries propose to break up the  
habit of allowing women to be yoked  
with the oxen in Barbary states. Their  
condition would not be improved by  
yoking them to some of the men of the  
Barbary states.—Washington Post.

The inevitable result of the passage  
of a national pure food law will be to  
harmonize the state pure food laws and  
their administration and put an end to  
the present ridiculous and scandalous  
condition.—Rochester Democrat and  
Chronicle.

The committee on naval affairs has  
decided not to recommend Captain  
Hobson's bill for the investment of  
\$3,000,000,000 in new ships. The com-  
mittee has figured that it would be  
cheaper to buy any country that might  
want to fight us.—Washington Post.

## GLEANINGS.

From 1840 to 1850 but 1,530,000 im-  
migrants entered our country.

The rocks at Niagara falls are being  
washed away at the rate of almost  
three feet per year.

More than \$6,000 worth of pure gold  
has been taken from the sands of the  
Swift river in Oxford county, Me., dur-  
ing the last five or six years.

The coal from the Glamorganshire  
field in South Wales is regarded as su-  
perior to all other steam coal by the  
navies of the world. Its rival from the  
United States is the Pocahontas  
coal from West Virginia.

A fire which broke out in the coal  
sheds at Gorham, N. H., last August  
and has been burning ever since has  
done large damage. It is estimated  
that between 10,000 and 12,000 tons of  
coal have been consumed.

## THE WRITERS.

Senor Jose Amado Marquez, a dis-  
tinguished Peruvian writer, is dead.

Dr. Moncreux Conway has written his  
memoirs and will publish them before  
long.

Professor James A. Harris, editor of  
the Virginia edition of Poe, is writing a  
biography of George Washington.

Miss Marie Corelli's partiality for  
private theatricals was formerly mani-  
fested in the representation of elderly  
comic characters, which she preferred  
to any others.

John Bach McMaster, professor of  
American history at the University of  
Pennsylvania, is reading the proofs for  
the sixth volume of his "History of the  
People of the United States."

## TRAIN AND TRACK.

The number of men employed on the  
railways of the United Kingdom, in-  
cluding boys, is 523,982.

Prussian railway cars have only  
about three-tenths the carrying cap-  
acity of those used in the United States.

The number of trains arriving daily  
in Chicago is 1,138. They are upon  
twenty-three railways, carrying an  
average of 100,000 passengers. Of these  
trains 338 are for through traffic and  
804 for suburban business.

## GRAFT.

"Graft" in Washington is called  
m-i-l-l-e-a-g-e.—New York World.

Graft, like appendicitis, is simply a  
new name for a very old complaint.  
The world has always been afflicted  
with grafters.—Kansas City Journal.

Boston authorities announce that  
"graft" has ceased to be slang. Slang  
is usually supposed to possess more or  
less of a humorous significance, and  
graft has become very serious indeed.—  
Washington Star.

## COLLEGE AND SCHOOL.

Indiana does not permit consump-  
tives to teach school.

Principal Peterson of McGill univer-  
sity will introduce a railway depart-  
ment in connection with his institution.

By the will of William Wyman of  
Baltimore the Johns Hopkins univer-  
sity may expect ultimately to receive  
the residue of his estate, valued at  
\$300,000.

## JINGLES AND JESTS.

**Coe's Co.**  
A hustling promoter named Coe  
was head of a big cocoa Co.  
A native named Koko  
said, "I say what you owe, Coe,  
Or give me the Coc Cocoa Co."

He had other projects, had Coe.  
Coke ovens were one line, and so  
The two confabulated.  
Imagine the rest!

"Coe-Koko Coke and Cocoa Co."—  
—Life.

**A Boston Well.**  
She—Fine looking overcoat you have  
on, Mr. Draper.

He—That's what I thought. But  
there's one thing about it that bothers  
me terribly. I can't make up my mind  
whether it looks better with the pocket  
flaps out or in.—Boston Transcript.

**Not in Herself.**  
"Has the prima donna any talent?"  
"Quite a lot."  
"But I thought you said she could  
neither sing nor act."  
"She can't. The talent is in the com-  
pany she carries with her."—Cincinnati  
Times-Star.

**According to the Century.**  
My brother, John, says keeps.  
In emulating Samuel Pepys.  
I tell him, though he shirks and skips.  
If he would make a hit like Pepys  
Inevitably the first step is  
To have a name like Mr. Pepys.  
—Judge.

**Short on Money.**  
Manager—You'll have to cut out that  
scene where you light the cigar with a  
\$100 bill.

Actor—Why?  
Manager—Can't afford to buy any  
more cigars.—Baltimore News.

**The Pin.**  
She—Woman's weapon is the pin. It  
is mightier than the sword.

He—You are right. The batpin has  
become almost as formidable in public  
as the rolling pin is in the home.—Kan-  
sas City Journal.

**At Prospective Prices.**  
No more does idle fancy beg  
A goose that lays an egg of gold.  
The hen that laid a common egg  
Each day would bring us wealth  
untold.  
—Washington Star.

**Cause For Cheerfulness.**  
Cranky Husband (at a reception)—I  
wish you were as lively as that woman  
over there.

Wife—Humph! No wonder she's jolly!  
She's a rich widow.—Philadelphia Led-  
ger.

**Provident Mind.**  
He—I think I'll go and speak to your  
father at once. He can't do more than  
kick me out.

She—It seems a pity to risk it, dear,  
in that good suit.—Life.

**Studies In Carbon.**  
The bits of crystal gleaming bright  
On jeweled hands can never win  
The praise which on a frosty night  
We give the coal down in the bin.  
—Buffalo Express.

**Poker Helped Him.**  
Hewitt—There is no royal road to  
wealth.

Jewett—Oh, I don't know. I got my  
start with a royal flush.—New York  
Times.

**The Smart Man.**  
"De really smart man," said Uncle  
Eben, "is de one dat has sense enough  
to know dat he's liable to be fooled de  
same as anybody else."—Washington  
Star.

**Watts Revised.**  
Let dogs delight to bark and bite,  
For 'tis their nature, see?  
Yet why should good thermometers  
So often disagree?  
—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

**Oblivion.**  
"The world won't forget him in a  
hurry."

"No; it will doubtless take plenty of  
time to do the job thoroughly."—Puck.

**A Yonkers Gallant.**  
She—Why, my heart was in my  
boots.

He—Oh, come, now! Your heart isn't  
as small as that.—Yonkers Statesman.

**Contrast.**  
Oh, how diversely run the fates  
Of men who turn poetic lines!  
For some make poet laureates,  
And some must write the valentines.  
—Washington Star.

**Worth the Sacrifice.**  
Staylate—May I have a kiss before I  
go?

Miss Weary—If I give you one will  
you really go?—Judge.

**A Brief Respite.**  
"Hasn't your hay fever left you?"  
"No; it's only taking an infinites-  
imal constructive recess."—Brooklyn Ea-  
gle.

**Disastrous.**  
We're living in a troublous age,  
For, be it understood,  
We neither like the drop in steel  
Nor yet the rise in Wood.  
—Life.

**Unfiltered.**  
Hojack—They say there is a great  
deal of water in the stock.  
Tomdick—It's unfiltered water too.  
Detroit Free Press.

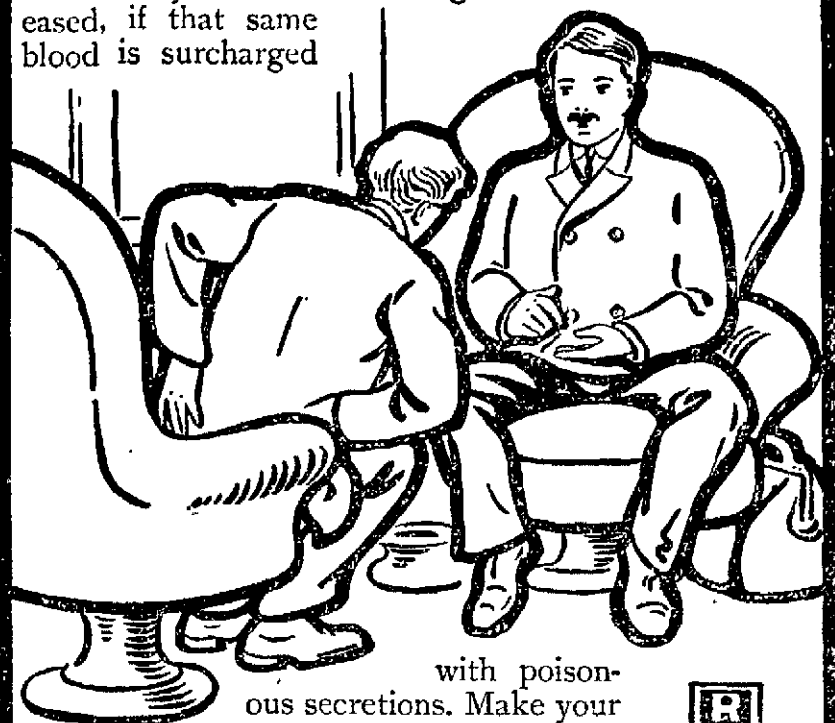
**Warm Prospect.**  
Slipper, here's so comfort now  
In this 'de-amin'g  
To freeze for death in old old world,  
But 't'other one is blazin'!  
—Atlanta Constitution.

**Every Man.**  
Every man deplores a dog fight and  
gets a lot of fun out of watching one.  
Somerville (Mass.) Journal.

**Diners, Beware!**  
Time flies while one is eating, yet  
Your morning we would speak;  
One dinner hour may beget  
An indigestion week.  
—Philadelphia Press.

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## AMUSEMENTS.

Manager Wm. A. Brady's press rep-  
resentative has coined the phrase "The  
play that will live forever" which he  
makes free to use ament "Way Down  
East." Perhaps he is a trifle prema-  
ture, but on the face of the returns, he  
is not far wrong. The celebrated ru-  
ral play has already seen several sea-  
sons, and that length of time in things  
theatrical, brings a play to old age.  
But "Way Down East" has not even  
thought of outliving its usefulness.  
Three companies presenting the play  
are booked solid for three years to  
come. Undoubtedly the majority of  
theatre-goers have seen the play, but  
there is a certain fascination that  
brings them to the theatre for a sec-  
ond and even a third visit. Then again  
the local manager will tell you that  
"Way Down East" brings people to  
the theatre who will not be seen at any  
other play during the entire season.  
Manager Brady has wisely kept his  
companies and productions up to their  
original excellence of standard and so  
long as he continues along the same  
line, "Way Down East" will remain  
the mainstay of his growing bank ac-  
count. At the Auditorium tomorrow  
night, December 29.

## BURGLARS' GAME

Was Played by Children, and One's  
Eye Was Shot Out.

Zanesville, O., Dec. 28.—Edith, the  
little daughter of Wm. Worter, spent  
Saturday with the children of J. W.  
Morgan. They were playing "bur-  
glars". Russ-O Morgan pointed a Flo-  
ber rifle at the little Worter girl  
and pulled the trigger. The bullet en-  
tered her right eye, destroying the  
sight. They didn't know the rifle was  
loaded.

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"Your booklet came to my  
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when I had suffered with  
headache, backache and bear-  
ing-down pains. I was weak,  
nervous and hysterical and  
had not consulted any doctor,  
thinking it would pass away  
in time, but instead I found  
that the pains increased and  
were more frequent. I de-  
cided to try Wine of Cardui  
and in a short time was much  
improved. It seemed to act like a charm.  
I kept up the treatment and the result  
was most satisfactory. Words fail to ex-  
press my gratitude for the suffering that  
is now saved me. I am in fine health,  
physically and mentally. I can only say  
that you, but there is much more in  
my heart for you."



nervous tension. The nerves  
soon begin to give way under  
the strain. You perhaps jump  
at any unusual disturbance,  
or laugh or weep, hysteri-  
cally, at no apparent cause.  
That is what Miss Fay Lee,  
603 1/2 North Seventh Street,  
Kansas City, Kansas, was  
coming to when she rescued  
herself by taking Wine of  
Cardui. The Wine made  
her a strong, healthy woman  
again, as it has made a million other  
women strong and healthy. By induc-  
ing regular menstruation the entire  
system is relieved of the terrible wasting  
drains. The ligaments which hold the  
womb in place are strengthened by a  
healthy flow and that organ is returned  
to its normal position. Returning  
health is the result. This is what  
Wine of Cardui has done for thousands  
of the best women in America.

**B**EARING-DOWN pains are the  
worst that women know. If  
you are suffering from this trou-  
ble you need not be uncertain  
about it. The pains in the abdomen  
and back that feel as if heavy weights  
were pulling down on the nerves of the  
stomach are "bearing-down pains".  
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present, but they are growing worse.  
That headache which nearly drives you  
distracted now is caused by the terrible

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# ABOUT PEOPLE

D. Bell is in Homer.

A. R. Alsopach was in the city on Monday.

Samuel W. Miller is at Black Run this week.

A. Copeland, of Lancaster, was here on Sunday.

Calvin Nethers was a Newark visitor on Monday.

Miss Mollie Schonberg spent Sunday in Columbus.

W. G. Hull, of Columbus, was in the city on Sunday.

Richard Ramey, of Granville, was in Newark on Sunday.

M. H. Stump, of Mt. Vernon, was in the city on Sunday.

Clyde Warner, of St. Louisville, was in the city Sunday.

U. J. Brillhart went to Coshocton on Sunday on business.

F. T. Wollard is quite sick at his home, 36 East street.

George Baxter, of Mt. Vernon, was in the city on Sunday.

Charles Diehl, of Frazesburg, was in Newark on Saturday.

Richard Kehr, of Parkersburg, is visiting friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson spent Christmas in Zanesville.

H. J. Munshower, of Columbus is visiting friends in the city.

Miss Ella Twigg, of Zanesville, is visiting friends in Newark.

David Hoffer and Charles Sebring spent Sunday in Columbus.

A. Coed, of St. Louisville, spent Sunday with friends in Newark.

H. D. Evans, of Hanover, spent Sunday with friends in the city.

Miss Lulu Fletcher was in Zanesville several days last week.

Isaac Bowman, of Homer, visited friends in Newark on Sunday.

George Smith, of Mt. Vernon, was in the city on business on Monday.

John Thompson, of Hanover, spent Sunday with friends in Newark.

George Stall, of Mt. Vernon, spent Sunday with friends in Newark.

Joseph Livingston, of Columbus, visited friends in the city on Sunday.

Harry Pigg and Will Shaler spent several days last week in Columbus.

Laurence Prior and William Prior, of Zanesville, were in Newark Saturday.

Hon. Paul Jones, a prominent attorney of Columbus, was in the city on Monday.

James Upham, of the Erie home, is visiting relatives in the city during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Carey Ferguson spent Christmas with her sister, Mrs. James E. Upham.

J. D. Bailey and W. M. Bailey, of Frazesburg, spent Sunday with friends in the city.

George Upham, of Columbus, spent Christmas with his mother at 61 South Third street.

W. J. Smith, of the Jewett car works, has returned from a business trip to Chicago.

Edward Schick has been visiting his mother and other relatives in Newark for several days.

Eugene Moore, the well-known attorney of Pataksaia, attended court on Monday morning.

H. W. Bottz, of the Howell Provision company, left Sunday for Chicago on a business trip.

Miss Kate O'Neill and Miss Hazel McMullen are visiting friends in Hanover for a few days.

Miss Addie M. Harris, of Chillicothe, is visiting her father, E. A. Harris, at his home, 94 Gay street.

Miss Mahel Thatcher, of Guernsey county, after a short visit here with relatives and friends, has returned home.

John Dwyer, of Salem, N. J., spent the past three days in the city with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. James Dwyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearl D. Yates, of Columbus, spent Christmas with his father, Joseph Yates, and his sisters, in this city.

Miss Louise Altman, of Zanesville, spent Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Frank Jennings, at her home on Wilson street.

J. W. Harter, of Hanover, was in Newark on Sunday, after a four days visit with his brother, G. W. Harter, at Jacksonstown.

Peter Baker and William Baker, of Mt. Vernon, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Baker, Christmas and over Sunday.

Thomas Darnes, of Coshocton, formerly of this city, now engaged in the manufacture of pop, spent Sunday with relatives in the city.

Mrs. S. J. Wright and daughter, Miss Grace, went over to Newark today to spend Christmas with relatives.—Lancaster Eagle.

Henry Seiler, who has been visiting relatives in this vicinity for some time, left for Utica on Monday, where he will visit friends for a time.

Misses Nellie Hughes and Sarah Lugendal, of Boylston avenue, were the guests of Zoia and Herm Lugendal, of near Granville, Friday evening.

Prof. E. L. Shaw, of the New Hampshire State College of Durham, N. H., is at home to spend the holidays with his parents in Cherry Valley.

John Richards was called to Sidney by the illness of his brother-in-law, George Lash, who was stricken with paralysis, both sides being affected.

Mr. and Mrs. Romine and little daughter, and Mr. Benjamin Guyser, of

Delphos, are visiting the Murphy family on Ferry street during the holidays.

Mrs. Josephine Duncan of Bridgeport, is visiting her brother, C. L. V. Lowell, of Eastern avenue.

Miss Flora Lugendal, of Boylston avenue, entertained a number of her friends from Dresden Saturday night with music and games.

Miss Iona Smith, of Boylston street, went to Plain City last Thursday to spend the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Ruby Converse and Mrs. Harry Gray.

Mrs. Will Davis and son, Charles, of Columbus, are visiting Mrs. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Shide, at their home in the Cherry Valley for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Fowler and children, of Cambridge, are visiting Mrs. Fowler's mother, Mrs. Julia Wollard, at her home, 36 East street, for a few days.

William Shultz, general foreman of the Pennsylvania boiler shops, at Wellsville, O., and Miss Minnie Snyder, of Crestline, O., are visiting at the home of C. H. Hazlett, 398 Anderson street.

Miss Rachel Beck, of Chicago, is spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Frew, of James street. Miss Beck is well known in Newark, having spent the summer of 1902 in the city.

Miss Pearl Shaw, who has been making her home for the past six years with her uncle, W. M. Sions, of Harmony, has gone to spend the winter with her sisters at Newark and Springfield, O.—Harmony Cor. Cambridge Jeffersonian.

Mr. and Mrs. James O'Donnell, of New Zanesville, were the guests of Mrs. Joseph Baker at her home on Baker street, Sunday. They have gone to West Baden, Pa., to see a relative, the first row at a Catholic seminary for the sisterhood.

Mr. Frank Symons, chief clerk to the superintendent of motive power of the Erie road at Meadville, Pa., who has been visiting here for a few days has returned to Meadville. He was accompanied by work wife and they will take up their residence in Meadville.

The young lady who gave her name as "Miss Vera Bishop" at a Newark store on November 17, for the purpose of obtaining goods, is known, and to avoid humiliation and trouble, she is requested to either return the goods or pay for same at once. 23-3t

A glass or two of water taken half an hour before breakfast will usually keep the bowels regular. Harsh cathartics should be avoided. When a purgative is needed, take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are mild and gentle in their action. For sale by all druggists.

B. & O. Engineer A. B. Bryant, who was recently assigned to engine 1933, which is of the Atlantic type, and one of the largest engines on the road, broke the record Saturday, December 26. The run was made between Zanesville and Cambridge, a distance of 25 miles, but Mr. Bryant doesn't give the time.

## Mr. Maylone Improving.

Friends of J. M. Maylone will be pleased to hear that his condition is improved. There is hope for his speedy recovery.

## GOOD CIGARS

Chief Sheridan is Smoking Today and He is Enjoying Joke as Well as Smoke.

Police Chief James S. Sheridan is an inveterate smoker, and he is never happier than when sitting in his office behind a fragrant cigar, emitting puffs of contentment from his favorite brand of Havanas, which is the William Penn ten-cent straight, providing the first cost of purchase fell on some one else. Jim is persona non grata at the headquarters of the city government, as well as with the reporters whose requirements take them regularly to the city building.

Miss Ada Pollett, chief clerk in Auditor Frank T. Maurath's office, recently sent up a box of William Penn 10-cent Cigars, with the instructions that they were for the officials, councilmen and reporters, especially designating the latter for a share in her grateful appreciation.

One or two of the officials got a cigar and Jim then got to the box. That was all there was to it. The cigars disappeared, the box with one "Penn" remaining. When the reporters got to the city building Monday afternoon they were told of Miss Pollett's gift, and how Chief Sheridan was enjoying the cigars.

It is probable that at least one reporter will be laid off for some months, when the chief reads this but we must print the truth as we find it.

James Waldron of Irvington, N. J., who was born without arms, has learned to sew with her toes and is succeeding admirably in learning other feminine accomplishments.

Governor Bates of Massachusetts has appointed a special committee to revise the laws in regard to the relations between employers and employees.

When the Mississippi river is flooded one can drink fresh water from the Gulf 10 miles from the river's source.

In Servia there is a soldier for every 22 inhabitants; in the United States there is one soldier for every 1,300 inhabitants.

# MISS FOOS

## TALKS OF TYPHOID EPIDEMIC AT BUTLER.

Crisis Past so Far as New Cases are Concerned, but Many Deaths May Yet Result.

Miss Alice Foos, one of the colony of expert nurses who have been fighting the typhoid fever scourge at Butler, Pa., is in Newark, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Foos, of West Main street. In speaking of the situation in the stricken Pennsylvania town, Miss Foos said that none could have any idea of it unless they were on the ground and could see for themselves. While there she was employed by the relief committee and worked in various places to which she was assigned.

"There are innumerable stories in the town," said Miss Foos, "and from the standpoint of the present and immediate future is and will be the worst in the history of the epidemic from the standpoint of new cases, it is true the crisis is over and the backbone of the scourge is broken, but in a great majority of the cases, the patients are now or soon will be the worst, and it is then that the death rate will be created.

"In the district where I was there were ten boys adjoining and in each there was at least one and some several down with the fever. Several could lend no assistance, as they had their own sick to attend to and the situation was indeed deplorable, and it is little relieved at present extent that there are fewer new cases developing.

"Besides typhoid fever there is a great deal of other illness from those kinds of disease which are in some respects similar to typhoid, but have a differentiating symptoms. Many of these people imagine they have typhoid, and it can safely be said that any one in Butler who gets an ache or pain is satisfied that he is a victim of the epidemic.

Miss Foos will remain in Newark a few days and will then go to Fairmont, W. Va., where she has an engagement for January. She left Butler that she would return there in February if she was needed.

# INCORPORATION

## OF TWO NEWARK COMPANIES AT COLUMBUS.

Newark Sanitarium Company and the Goldsborough Oil Well Tool Manufacturing Co. Organized.

Special telegrams to The Advocate from Columbus Monday afternoon tell of the incorporation of two Newark companies, as follows:

The Newark Sanitarium company and the Goldsborough Oil Well Tool Manufacturing company were among the new incorporations at Columbus Monday, both being financed at least in part by Newark men.

The Newark Sanitarium company is now located in the old L. B. Wins property on East Main street, and the articles of incorporation state that a sanitarium will be conducted in part after the system of those at Battle Creek, Mich., with a corps of trained nurses, a complete system of baths and operating rooms. The incorporators are: W. L. Secor, A. J. Kennedy, of Mt. Vernon; Harry Miller, Charles E. Robishaw and R. Francis, of Newark, and the capitalization is \$10,000.

The incorporators of the Goldsborough Oil Well Tool company are: Frank C. Bartholomew, Thomas P. Goldsborough, G. G. Bartholomew, H. N. Goldsborough and Frank P. Kennedy, all of Newark. Capital \$5000.

All toys and holiday goods at one-fourth off. Plaine's Department Store, corner of Union and West Main streets. 12-28-34t

For the defense of a member of the Mafia, who is to be tried for murder in Florence, it is stated that \$7,900 has been contributed anonymously in Palermo alone.

By the introduction of the principle of self-declaration the annual taxable income of the city of Gothenburg, Sweden, is this year increased from \$3,987,500 to \$2,465,665.

The mining companies of Mexico are taking active interest in the World's Fair, St. Louis, and will make an extensive display, exhibiting that of any other country, the United States alone excepted.

Admiral von Bismarck says that Germany will send a fleet of her finest war vessels to participate in the naval display at Hamilton Roads in connection with the opening of the World's Fair at St. Louis, May 1, 1904.

A few years ago a certain mines that would not yield \$50 to the ton was discovered and mined as unprofitable. Now, with the improved methods of extracting, ore containing as low as \$10 a ton pays large dividends to the stockholders.

Some of the black-tie affairs given in South Dakota, for the year just closed, ending a \$4,200,000, which is nearly one million dollars in excess of the previous year. The average value of the ore handled in the district per ton was \$144.

# NEWS IN BRIEF.

**Turkey Shoot.**  
John Kieter held the highest score in five events at the turkey shoot held at Hebron on Christmas.

**Closed to Invoice.**  
The Newark Merchandise Company, 20 West Main street, Great Reduction Sale begins Wednesday. It

**Christmas Cantata.**  
A Christmas Cantata, "The Revolt of the Toys," will be given at the Second Presbyterian church parlors Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock.

**Trinity Church.**  
The Trinity Episcopal Sunday school will hold their Christmas exercises in the parish house Tuesday evening, December 29, at 6:30 o'clock.

**A Baby Boy.**  
John T. Sullivan, the well known molder, says that he was the recipient of the finest Christmas present received by any one in the city. It was a fine baby boy.

**Lecture Tonight.**  
All members of Lemert Post, No. 71, G. A. R., are invited to attend a lecture on "The Gospel of Christian Science" at the Auditorium, this Monday evening, December 28. Admission free.

**Judge Brister's Present.**  
Christiansville lodge, No. 424, of Elks, presented Judge E. M. P. Brister of this city with a handsome pearl handled gold fountain pen on Christmas as a mark of appreciation of the memorial address delivered by the Judge in that city.

**Caught Stealing Goods.**  
Several persons in the crowds that are daily attending the Powers-Miller company's fire sale have been caught stealing goods. Up to date arrests have not been made, but from now on persons caught stealing merchandise will be more severely dealt with.

**"Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch."**  
Reserved seats are now on sale at the Y. M. C. A. office for the New Year's night entertainment in Taylor Hall, "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," given by the Sunshine Circle of King's Daughters. It is sure to be a great success. Get your seats early.

**Judge Coyner Ill.**  
Judge Coyner of Delaware, one of the Common Pleas judges of this district, was taken suddenly sick while holding court in Mt. Vernon last week. He was unable to be removed to his home in Delaware for two or three days, and is now quite sick at his home.

**Leap Year Cotillion.**  
It has practically been decided by some of the society women of Newark to give a grand leap year cotillion early in 1904 at Assembly hall, but the date has not been definitely settled upon. The preliminary arrangements are in indicative of the fact that it will be one of the most elaborate functions ever given in Newark.

**Newark Iron and Steel Works.**  
The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Newark Iron and Steel company will take place at the office of the company's works, on Tuesday, January 12, 1904, at 2:30 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may properly be done by the stockholders of the company. John M. Swartz is president and Wm. M. Miller, secretary of the company.

**Guests of Manager Fulton.**  
Harry S. Fulton, manager of "The Chinese Honeymoon" gave a small supper party at the Regent Hotel last night. The guests were Miss Violet Dale, Mr. R. W. Macfarland, and Miss Christine Hudson, of the company, and Miss Dale's mother, Mrs. Nellie Dale, of New York. The dining room was decorated in greens and wreaths and the table was garnished with pink roses and chrysanthemums.—Washington Post, December 26.

**Kindness of Glassblowers.**  
The glassblowers at Everett's glass works some week ago took up a collection for the purpose of buying an artificial leg for a lad named Feldner, who was an apprentice blower at the factory last fire, and during the summer vacation fell under a train between Fifth and Sixth streets and had his right leg crushed. The boy went to Columbus last week and had the limb fitted. It is giving perfect satisfaction and it is hoped that he may complete his trade.

**At the Infirmary.**  
The inmates of the Licking County Infirmary enjoyed a very happy Christmas through the kindness of Superintendent Charles Hart and his estimable wife, the mother. The Christmas dinner included eight turkeys averaging 20 pounds in weight each, and all the usual accompaniments for such a dinner. A sack of candy and a ball of yarn were also given to each inmate. The infirmary is prospering under an excellent management. The inmates are well cared for and are as contented and happy as could be expected.

**A Fine Elk's Tooth.**  
Mr. Norman Linn, of Johnstown, the celebrated and well known natural scientist and collector, presented Newark lodge, N. 244, of P. O. F., of which he is a member, with a valuable specimen of the Siberian reindeer antler, which he obtained in 1901. Mr. Linn was a member of the same lodge and presented a number of valuable specimens of the same kind to the lodge. The gift to the lodge consists of a magnificent specimen of the antler. It is a fine specimen and will be highly prized by Newark lodge.

# THE COURTS

## NEXT TERM OPENS ON MONDAY, JANUARY 4TH.

**First Week Set Apart for the Hearing of Chancery Cases—News from the Court House.**

In Common Pleas Court the following business was transacted Monday:

Elizabeth K. Metz et al. v. Charles G. Metz, motion for new trial overruled. J. L. Jones; Smythe & Smythe.

Jesse E. Geiger v. W. H. Geiger et al., John C. Neil substituted as commissioner in partition in place of P. E. T. Gart, who is a relative of one of the parties to the action. Keller.

Zug & Co. v. Tucker Mfg. Co., leave given to plead in 30 days. Fulton; Hilliard.

J. T. Lewis v. D. Martin, receiver ordered to pay one-half of money in his hands to defendant, and executions. Fitzgibbon; Miller.

Emily Hall v. William M. Hall, motion of defendant for a new trial withdrawn on the subject of alimony, and decree as agreed upon between the parties, at defendant's costs. Davies; Hunter, Smythe & Smythe.

In the matter of the allowance of fees to the sheriff of Licking county in criminal cases wherein the state of Ohio failed to convict and the defendant proved insolvent and for services not particularly provided for the year 1903; the court allowed \$243.26.

The next term convenes January 4. January 4 is set apart for the hearing of motions and demurrers. The Common Pleas Court will run until a week before the Circuit Court convenes. Circuit Court convenes March 12. The first week of the January term is set apart for the hearing of chancery cases. An additional week at the end of the term will also be allowed for the trial of such cases. The jury (petit) will be in attendance commencing January 11.

State of Ohio ex rel. Millie Ford v. Zane Wickham, paternity proceeding; defendant ordered to pay \$400. Bond for stay of execution for the purpose of taking error proceedings to Circuit Court fixed at \$500. The court overruled the motion of defendant for a new trial, in which a number of assignments of error are set forth. Smythe & Smythe; Daugherty.

The court called the docket for the January term and made an assignment of cases, which will be printed for distribution to the bar.

Court adjourned to Wednesday next at 10 a. m., at which time a motion in regard to distribution of certain funds in the case of Crawford v. Crawford will be heard. Hunter; Swartz.

The motion for a new trial in the case of Cunningham, adm'r. v. The Edward H. Everett Company was argued and submitted. This is the case in which Cunningham brought suit for damages, alleging negligence in the construction of the factory building; the plaintiff's son having been killed there some years ago. The court will probably decide the motion Wednesday next.

**Taken to Prison.**  
George Moore, who was convicted of burglarizing Lamb & Palmer's grocery, and sentenced to ten years' imprisonment in the penitentiary, was taken over to Columbus today by Deputy Sheriff William Linke and Fred Vogelmeier and turned over to the officials of that institution to begin his long term of service.

**Marriage Licenses.**  
Noah Jonathan Martin and Olive M. Bell.  
Charles A. Pike and Bertha Alice Mason.  
Albert Clarence Lovell and Lila Weare.

**Real Estate Transfers.**  
R. H. Harrison and others to Ellen Floyd, lot 2, 691 in Tenney, Dickinson & Everett's addition to Newark; \$1,800.  
Nellie Green and Vada Green to Aaron Channell, real estate in Homer; \$1,100.  
Anna E. Bancroft and Lucila B. Frank to Daniel W. and Dora E. Stockdale, part of lot 3 in William Lake's addition to Newark; \$1,227.  
Charles E. Shade and wife to Ralph Norpell, real estate in Newark; \$1,900.

F. H. Buxton, executor of the estate of the late Major Buxton, of Granville, has filed his first account.

**Safety pins are peculiarly American.**  
We use 144,000,000 of them each year. Films of soap bubble have been measured of a thinness of the four millionth part of an inch.

Out of 1,000 persons inoculated for hydrophobia after being bitten by a mad dog 975 are saved from death.

Out of every 1,000,000 persons who are born in the same year, 21,000 die before 70 years, 19,000 for 80 years, and 81 for 90 years.

The Uganda Mission in Central Africa, begun 20 years ago, has now 1,000 church buildings, seating 126,000 persons, erected chiefly at the cost of the U. S.

In a Berlin insane asylum, is a patient it is said, whose hair changes color with her temper. When she is cool and quiet her hair is a light blonde, but when she is restless and excited it becomes ashy.


In olden times rings were worn by merchants and rulers alone, but as civilization advanced and women were more chivalrously regarded the ring was given her as the token of high dignity bestowed upon her in the marriage ceremony.

# Ayer's Hair Vigor

Always restores color to gray hair, always. Makes the hair grow and stops falling hair. A splendid dressing.

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## MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.

Wanted—A man to do general work about a restaurant. Inquire at No. 5 South Park. 12-28-34t

Wanted—A good girl at 35 Maholm street. Good wages to right girl. Call at once. 29-3t

Wanted—Practical gardner to work garden close to city. Apply now. Inquire "Advocate" office. 12-23dtf

## FOR RENT.

For Sale—A nice lot of kindling wood. Enquire of Garry Hill, of the Buckeye Transfer Line. 12-24-3t\*

## LOST AND FOUND.

Lost—Sunday evening either on South Fourth street or Fifth street, two five-dollar bills and one one-dollar bill. Reward if returned to Claudi Connell, 60 N. Fifth St. 12-28-34t

Lost—A string of green and white beads, seven beads in width, Persian design, were lost between St. Paul's Lutheran church and 147 Hudson Ave. If found, please return to Margaret Schindler and receive reward. 12-28-3t

Lost—Black shawl between Stauch's grocery and 35 Pataskala street. Please leave at grocery. 26-3t\*

Lost—A black fur glove Wednesday evening on Fourth street between Keller's cigar factory and Forsythe's barber shop. Return to this office and receive reward. 24-3t\*

## TODAY'S MARKETS.

(G. A. Baker Co.'s Special Wire.)

	Wheat:	Opening	High	Low	Clos
May	.....	82 1/4	81 1/4	82 3/4	84 1/4
July	.....	78 1/4	77 1/4	79 1/4	78 3/4
Sept.	.....	75 1/4	74 1/4	76 1/4	75 3/4
Oct.	.....	72 1/4	71 1/4	73 1/4	72 3/4
Nov.	.....	69 1/4	68 1/4	70 1/4	69 3/4
Dec.	.....	66 1/4	65 1/4	67 1/4	66 3/4
Jan.	.....	63 1/4	62 1/4	64 1/4	63 3/4
Feb.	.....	60 1/4	59 1/4	61 1/4	60 3/4
Mar.	.....	57 1/4	56 1/4	58 1/4	57 3/4
Apr.	.....	54 1/4	53 1/4	55 1/4	54 3/4
May	.....	51 1/4	50 1/4	52 1/4	51 3/4
June	.....	48 1/4	47 1/4	49 1/4	48 3/4
July	.....	45 1/4	44 1/4	46 1/4	45 3/4
Aug.	.....	42 1/4	41 1/4	43 1/4	42 3/4
Sept.	.....	39 1/4	38 1/4	40 1/4	39 3/4
Oct.	.....	36 1/4	35 1/4	37 1/4	36 3/4
Nov.	.....	33 1/4	32 1/4	34 1/4	33 3/4
Dec.	.....	30 1/4	29 1/4	31 1/4	30 3/4
Jan.	.....	27 1/4	26 1/4	28 1/4	27 3/4
Feb.	.....	24 1/4	23 1/4	25 1/4	24 3/4
Mar.	.....	21 1/4	20 1/4	22 1/4	21 3/4
Apr.	.....	18 1/4	17 1/4	19 1/4	18 3/4
May	.....	15 1/4	14 1/4	16 1/4	15 3/4
June	.....	12 1/4	11 1/4	13 1/4	12 3/4
July	.....	9 1/4	8 1/4	10 1/4	9 3/4
Aug.	.....	6 1/4	5 1/4	7 1/4	6 3/4
Sept.	.....	3 1/4	2 1/4	4 1/4	3 3/4
Oct.	.....	0 1/4	-1 1/4	1 1/4	0 3/4
Nov.	.....	-3 1/4	-4 1/4	-2 1/4	-3 3/4
Dec.	.....	-6 1/4	-7 1/4	-5 1/4	-6 3/4
Jan.	.....	-9 1/4	-10 1/4	-8 1/4	-9 3/4
Feb.	.....	-12 1/4	-13 1/4	-11 1/4	-12 3/4
Mar.	.....	-15 1/4	-16 1/4	-14 1/4	-15 3/4
Apr.	.....	-18 1/4	-19 1/4	-17 1/4	-18 3/4
May	.....	-21 1/4	-22 1/4	-20 1/4	-21 3/4
June	.....	-24 1/4	-25 1/4	-23 1/4	-24 3/4
July	.....	-27 1/4	-28 1/4	-26 1/4	-27 3/4
Aug.	.....	-30 1/4	-31 1/4	-29 1/4	-30 3/4
Sept.	.....	-33 1/4	-34 1/4	-32 1/4	-33 3/4
Oct.	.....	-36 1/4	-37 1/4	-35 1/4	-36 3/4
Nov.	.....	-39 1/4	-40 1/4	-38 1/4	-39 3/4
Dec.	.....	-42 1/4	-43 1/4	-41 1/4	-42 3/4
Jan.	.....	-45 1/4	-46 1/4	-44 1/4	-45 3/4
Feb.	.....	-48 1/4	-49 1/4	-47 1/4	-48 3/4
Mar.	.....	-51 1/4	-52 1/4	-50 1/4	-51 3/4
Apr.	.....	-54 1/4	-55 1/4	-53 1/4	-54 3/4
May	.....	-57 1/4	-58 1/4	-56 1/4	-57 3/4
June	.....	-60 1/4	-61 1/4	-59 1/4	-60 3/4
July	.....	-63 1/4	-64 1/4	-62 1/4	-63 3/4
Aug.	.....	-66 1/4	-67 1/4	-65 1/4	-66 3/4
Sept.	.....	-69 1/4	-70 1/4	-68 1/4	-69 3/4
Oct.	.....	-72 1/4	-73 1/4	-71 1/4	-72 3/4
Nov.	.....	-75 1/4	-76 1/4	-74 1/4	-75 3/4
Dec.	.....	-78 1/4	-79 1/4	-77 1/4	-78 3/4
Jan.	.....	-81 1/4	-82 1/4	-80 1/4	-81 3/4
Feb.	.....	-84 1/4	-85 1/4	-83 1/4	-84 3/4
Mar.	.....	-87 1/4	-88 1/4	-86 1/4	-87 3/4
Apr.	.....	-90 1/4	-91 1/4	-89 1/4	-90 3/4
May	.....	-93 1/4	-94 1/4	-92 1/4	-93 3/4
June	.....	-96 1/4	-97 1/4	-95 1/4	-96 3/4
July	.....				



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## 'WAY DOWN EAST

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New phone 229. 10-15-16  
Try WHITE SWAN flour. Made at  
R. C. Bigbee's new up-to-date Sifter  
System mill. New phone 228. 10-15-16

### Saving Labor.

The Lady—I wish you would cut me  
some wood to kindle with.  
Gitty George—What's der use.  
Dere's a railroad wreck just back of  
yer garden.

The Lady—What of that?  
Gitty George—Well, dere never wuz  
a railroad wreck dat de reporters  
didn't say somethin' was reduced to  
—kindlin' wood.—Chicago Daily News.

An Insuperable Objection.  
"I would like to give myself to you  
as a Christmas present," said young  
Poore to Miss Rocks.  
"Papa does not allow me to receive  
expensive presents from young men,"  
replied the maiden.—Town Topics.

Sized Up.  
"He said someone told him yesterday  
that he was the handsomest man  
in his family."  
"That's a bad habit he's got."  
"What?"  
"Talking to himself."—Philadelphia  
Press.

The Howard County (Mo.) Court has  
effectually put an end to all "Uncle  
Tom's Cabin" shows in that county.  
In rearranging the license rate for  
circuses and shows it was decided to levy  
a tax of \$200 a day on all "Uncle Tom"  
shows. Howard was the largest slave-  
holding county in the state.

## CUT IN BITUMINOUS.

Indications That There is Trouble  
Brewing For Soft Coal Miners.  
Operators in the bituminous coal  
fields of western Pennsylvania, Ohio,  
Indiana and Illinois are planning to  
demand that the United Mine Workers  
compel members to consent to a 20 per  
cent decrease in wages. If the proposition  
is not accepted thousands of men  
will be laid off.

The action of the operators is expected  
to be the climax of the present wave  
of retrenchment that is sweeping over  
the country. It has been induced by  
the rapid fall in the price of coal and  
the general lack of orders due to the  
manufacturers' inability to keep their  
plants running double time, as was the  
case last winter.

The decrease in wages if accepted by  
the men will mean a reduction in the  
aggregate pay of the 91,853 mine work-  
ers in the four states that will approxi-  
mate \$10,000,000 a year. The large sum  
at issue and privations which loss will  
cause have stirred up the officials of  
the Mine Workers' union, and prepara-  
tions are being made to resist the cut.  
The plans of the employers will come  
to a focus when the interstate joint  
conference holds its session at Indian-  
apolis. There will be gathered repre-  
sentatives of the union and of the op-  
erators of the four states concerned. The  
proposition of reduction will be con-  
sidered in secret gatherings which will  
continue until agreement on the point  
is reached.

At the last joint conference, held in  
January of this year, the operators con-  
sented to increase wages. Machine  
mining now brings the workers in  
western Pennsylvania and in the Hock-  
ing valley district of Ohio 10 cents  
more a ton than formerly, in the block  
district of Indiana 8 cents and in the  
Danville, district of Illinois 6 cents  
more. These are the points from which  
the competitive scales of the various  
states are framed.

The present rate of pay has been con-  
sidered abnormally high by the op-  
erators and far from satisfactory by the  
mine workers. How the two parties  
to the matter will be able to reach an  
agreement is puzzling the operators,  
but they expect to win their case. Men  
like F. S. Robbins of Pittsburgh, who  
employs more miners than any other  
bituminous operator, are ready to take  
drastic means to enforce their de-  
mands.

### Granting Foremen.

The International Iron Molders' union  
has begun proceedings to put a  
stop to the system of extortion, which,  
it is claimed, is practiced by foremen  
of foundries all over the country, of  
making men pay for their positions.  
It is asserted also that the foremen,  
not satisfied with receiving money for  
giving a man a place, demand further  
payments from employees who wish  
more profitable piece work.

At the recent convention of the Fed-  
eration of Labor this question was dis-  
cussed, and President Valentine of the  
International Iron Molders' association  
and his associates agreed to relieve lo-  
cal unions of the expense of the pro-  
posed crusade against extortion in  
foundries.

The first move in the campaign is  
the filing of a bill in equity in the  
United States circuit court for the dis-  
trict of Massachusetts. This will be  
the test case. In the bill which has  
been brought in Boston the union pro-  
ceeds against two foremen in the found-  
ry of the General Electric company  
at Lynn, and the suit is brought by  
a party of foreigners who have been  
employed under them.

### To Organize Philadelphia.

"On to Philadelphia" is the latest  
mandate of the American Federation  
of Labor. It is proposed to empty  
nearly 200 labor union organizers into  
that city shortly and to make of the poorest  
organized city in the country one of the  
biggest strongholds of unionism. Word  
was received in Pittsburgh the other day  
to this effect, coming with an appeal by  
the big central body. Every interna-  
tional and national labor union affili-  
ated with the federation is asked to sup-  
ply one organizer for a concentrated  
move for organization purposes.

For years the City of Brotherly Love  
has resisted the labor agitator. There  
are some unions there, many not half  
representative of their respective bod-  
ies and others experiencing a precari-  
ous existence. Where workmen of  
other cities have jumped at the oppor-  
tunity to organize the Philadelphians  
have resisted. Organizers have said the  
natural conditions are against them,  
and to this is added the hostility of  
employers.

### English Weavers For Canada.

A large number of weavers, mostly  
young women from the southeast of  
Lancashire, England, are emigrating  
to Canada. The women agents acting  
in behalf of the mill owners at Valley-  
field and other manufacturing localities  
in Canada have been scouring Lancashire  
and Yorkshire in search of wo-  
men weavers willing to emigrate to the  
Dominion.

### Knox and the Union.

Following the strike of 150 of its em-  
ployees, members of the United Hat-  
ters' Union of North America, the  
Knox Hat company of Brooklyn has  
retaliated by declaring in printed resolu-  
tions that never again will it employ  
a member of the Hatters' union and  
that henceforth its factory will be con-  
ducted independent of union jurisdic-  
tion.

## MR. LOREE LEAVES B. & O.

Will Become President of the Rock  
Island First of the Year.

Oscar Murray Most Probable Successor—Intimation  
That the Moore Syndicate Wants the B. & O.  
—Mr. Loree Admits That the Change is  
About to Take Place.

The frequent reports of L. F. Loree  
leaving the presidency of the Balti-  
more and Ohio system are at last borne  
out in truth. He becomes president of  
the Rock Island company, succeeding  
W. D. Leeds. Oscar G. Murray is spok-  
en of as the most probable successor to  
the presidency of the Baltimore and  
Ohio. Mr. Loree takes up his new  
work January 1.

Incidentally Mr. Loree goes to a far  
different railway system than that to  
which he was destined to go according  
to the reports of some months ago.  
This difference, also, it is worth not-  
ing, is not only in being associated  
with another railway financial man-  
agement, but there is a larger signifi-  
cance in the fact that Mr. Loree goes  
to the executive management of a gi-  
gantic railway system that has been  
broadening its territory until its net-  
work of lines covers almost half of the  
United States. It has been adding to  
its mileage by the thousands in the  
past year or two.

The question in the minds of many  
now is: Will the Rock Island become  
owner of the Baltimore and Ohio sys-  
tem, and thus take from the grasp of  
the Pennsylvania railroad system one  
of its largest associated lines?

Mr. Loree was an old Pennsylvania  
man, but some months ago it was as-  
serted—and was not denied to the en-  
tire satisfaction of the public—that the  
relations of Mr. Loree in his manage-  
ment of the Baltimore and Ohio were  
strained almost to the breaking point  
with the Pennsylvania system. When  
the annual meeting of the Baltimore  
and Ohio was held a few weeks ago  
and Mr. Loree was re-elected president,  
the reports of his leaving this company  
were passed by for a time.

A few days ago when the report of  
his going to the Rock Island company  
as executive head was current, the re-  
port was passed by as the former ru-  
mors had been. Likewise the old story  
that Mr. Murray was to become presi-  
dent of the Baltimore and Ohio was  
associated with bygone rumors. There  
was a faint suspicion, however, that  
beneath this most recent report there  
might be something more than was  
thought at first. Formerly the reports  
had Mr. Loree becoming president of  
the Philadelphia and Reading. Now he  
goes to a system that controls the op-  
eration of at least 12,500 miles—the  
greater Rock Island.

Some weeks ago the merger of the  
Rock Island and the Seaboard Air Line  
railway systems was reported insis-  
tently to have fallen to naught, but  
such gigantic consolidations are  
wrought with a sublime silence that  
men of notable insight have been  
standing agape, still wondering what  
the outcome of the Rock Island-Seaboard  
deal will be. The Rock Island is  
owned by those independent Benedic-  
tine Moors—W. H. and J. H.—whose  
foresight has been remarked as won-  
derful by those who have known of  
their outlining plans for their great  
railway system. Now those who know  
of the Moore Bros. syndicate's moving  
in the past are wondering whether L.  
F. Loree is not being taken to the Rock  
Island to give these gigantic financiers  
a better insight into the Baltimore and  
Ohio so that this valuable property can  
be made a portion of the Rock Island.

It has been intimated by one in close  
touch with the syndicate heads that  
such is the purpose and that there need  
be no surprise if the Rock Island  
should become owner of the Baltimore  
and Ohio in the near future. The re-  
cent extensive manipulation of railway  
stocks has made some surmise that  
the Moore Bros. syndicate may now  
be the real owner of the B. & O.

Granting that the Seaboard and the  
Baltimore and Ohio have been or are  
soon to be acquired—which is no ex-  
traordinary undertaking in these times  
of marvelous mergers—the Rock Is-  
land system has or will have in its con-  
trol about 20,000 miles (exactly, 19,556)  
of railroad for operation in the United  
States. This mileage covers the great  
plains of the West and Southwest to  
Denver and El Paso; extends eastward  
along the Middle South to Birmingham  
and thence on to lower Florida and  
numerous Atlantic coast points; has  
two arms from its middle and northern  
central body to the eastward from St.  
Louis and Chicago in the Baltimore  
and Ohio, and covers the Atlantic  
coast from New York southward till  
the far Southwest is reached.

If Mr. Loree's being taken to the  
Rock Island is with this end in view, it  
is not necessary to prophesy as to the  
future policy of the Baltimore and  
Ohio, he the new president Mr. Murray  
or another. Mr. Murray was one of  
the road's receivers and came from a  
property foreign and inimical to the  
Pennsylvania railroad system. He has  
been one of the staunchest men in the  
construction of the Baltimore and  
Ohio, and has been one of the men  
that have not been deterred to by out-  
side interests. He has proved himself  
a vigorous and daring traffic officer,  
and while his attention has been di-  
rected to this department more espe-  
cially, he has by no means lost sight

of the transportation side of the rail-  
way business.

Much interest is being manifested in  
the changes that will be made in con-  
sequence of Mr. Loree's retirement.  
There has been an intimation that Joseph  
M. Graham, chief engineer of the  
B. & O., may be promoted to a vice  
presidency, but whether this will be  
over the heads of the other vice presi-  
dents has not been intimated. A Bal-  
timore dispatch Saturday said Mr. Gra-  
ham would go to the Erie road. Third  
Vice President C. L. Potter's work  
with the B. & O. has been watched by  
the railroad world, inasmuch as he was  
formerly a Pennsylvania system man.  
He is an able man and his friends are  
wondering what his new position will  
be.

### LOREE ADMITS

That He Has Resigned from B. & O.  
to Become President of the Rock  
Island System.

Baltimore, Dec. 28.—Colonel L. F. Loree,  
president of the B. & O. road, has  
confirmed the report that he had ten-  
dered his resignation to become presi-  
dent of the Rock Island company, to  
succeed William B. Leeds. When  
shown a dispatch received in Baltimore  
to this effect Mr. Loree replied: "That  
is straight, but I did not expect the an-  
nouncement to be given out before  
next week." The Rock Island com-  
pany controls the Chicago, Rock Island  
& Pacific railway.

The directors of the B. & O. will  
meet early this week to act upon the  
resignation of President Loree and se-  
lect his successor. In railroad circles  
Oscar G. Murray, first vice president of  
the B. & O., is looked upon as the  
logical successor of President Loree,  
although the Pennsylvania railroad in-  
terest in the property may appoint one  
of the other vice presidents to this  
place. In the latter event the names  
of S. M. Prevost and Samuel Rea are  
being discussed. The belief is strong,  
however, that First Vice President  
Murray will be advanced to the presi-  
dency.

Colonel Loree was asked whether  
his leaving the B. & O. for the Rock  
Island indicated anything as to the  
transfer of control of the latter to the  
Pennsylvania interests. He said:  
"It does not. I am going to serve  
the interests of the present owners of  
the Rock Island. My reason is purely  
the personal one that there are oppor-  
tunities in the new field. My relations  
with my fellow officers in the B. & O.  
have been very pleasant and I regret  
that the former are to be severed, and  
that I am to leave Baltimore. The  
B. & O. railroad is a great property  
and has a great future. It is now com-  
ing into this future."

Mr. Loree was born April 22, 1858, at  
Fulton City, Ill. He was educated at  
Rutgers college and entered the rail-  
way service in 1877 as assistant in the  
engineering corps of the Pennsylvania.  
In 1879 he entered the United States  
army as a transit engineer, leaving  
that service in 1881. From 1881 to  
1883 he held various positions in the  
engineer department of the Mexican  
National railway. He next identified  
himself with the Chicago division of  
the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati and St. Louis  
railroad in the engineering corps. From  
1884 to 1886 he was engineer of main-  
tenance of way of the L. & V. division  
and from 1886 to 1888 he held same  
position on the Chicago division. The  
next year he held the same position  
with the C. & P. division, and in 1889  
he was made superintendent of the C.  
& P. division. Later he was made vice  
president of the Pennsylvania railroad  
west of Pittsburgh. In June, 1891, he  
came to Baltimore as president of the  
Baltimore & Ohio system.

Oscar G. Murray who is expected to  
succeed Colonel Loree, was born at  
Bridgeport, Conn. on May 20, 1847. He  
entered the railway service in 1877 as  
a ticket agent of the Galveston, Hous-  
ton & Henderson railroad. He was  
with the same road in various posi-  
tions to general freight agent and pas-  
senger agent until 1880, when he went  
to the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe rail-  
road in the same capacity.

The next year found him traffic man-  
ager of the Missouri Pacific line in  
Texas, which position he held for five  
years, when he was transferred to St.  
Louis as traffic manager of that dis-  
trict. From 1886 to 1888 he held the  
same position with the Cincinnati, In-  
dianapolis, St. Louis & Chicago rail-  
road and its successors. In 1882 he  
was made second vice president of the  
Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St.  
Louis railroad. In 1896 he was appoint-  
ed receiver of the B. & O. railroad, and  
throughout the receivership was one of  
the receivers with Mr. John K. Cowen.  
On February 17, 1896, he was made  
first vice president of the same road,  
which position he has held since.  
An impending change in the B. & O.  
that is expected is the resignation of  
Chief Engineer J. M. Graham to be-  
come one of the vice presidents of the  
Erie railroad. It is said that Mr. Gra-

ham will go to the Erie about Febru-  
ary.

Mr. Graham was formerly general  
superintendent of the B. & O. at New-  
ark.

Pan Handle Earnings Show Increase.  
The Pan Handle is continuing to  
better its operating conditions in such  
a way as to make the officers feel that  
the annual report will show a much  
better percentage of earnings than  
was manifest last year. The in-  
crease in estimated earnings, expenses  
and net earnings of the Pittsburgh, Cin-  
cinnati, Chicago & St. Louis for No-  
vember and for the 11 months ended  
with November 30, 1903, as compared  
with the corresponding periods of 1902  
show these figures in the statement is-  
sued by Secretary S. B. Liggett: No-  
vember—Gross earnings, \$150,163; op-  
erating expenses, \$116,449; net earn-  
ings, \$33,714. January 1 to November  
30—Gross earnings, \$2,119,683; op-  
erating expenses, \$1,933,697; net earnings,  
\$185,986.

### Local Railway Notes.

B. & O. Fireman T. B. Freeman who  
has been suffering with a severe at-  
tack of typhoid fever at Butler, Pa.,  
returned to his home on South Sec-  
ond street this city, on Sunday night.

A. J. Baker has made fifty trips this  
year on Sunday night to Black Run,  
and only missed two trips on that  
night, caused by the illness of his son,  
Elmer Baker, who recently died.

Engineer Welsh has been spending  
the holidays with relatives at Eldon,  
Ohio.

John Kerrigan has been reinstated  
as Engineer on the B. & O. John is  
an old man at the throttle, and all the  
boys wish him success.

Thomas Mulquin, a popular B. & O.  
conductor, is off on a short leave of ab-  
sence, and his friends think he is  
about to get married.

E. A. Murphy, a popular B. & O. en-  
gineer, is laying off for a much needed  
rest.

C. D. Johnson has been given a posi-  
tion as brakeman on the B. & O. and  
has been assigned to duty on the C. O.  
division.

Brakeman McEndree is unable to  
work on account of sickness.

Conductor M. Shaugnessy is off on  
leave of absence.

Brakeman J. M. O'Connor has been  
given leave of absence for a few days.

Brakeman W. P. Evans is laying off  
for a rest.

Brakeman J. C. Perkins has been  
marked up for service after an ab-  
sence of a few days.

J. H. Haines has been spending a  
few days with his son in Terre Haute,  
Ind.

Robert Ferguson, a coal checker,  
who has been off on the sick list for  
some days, is reported as being con-  
siderably better at this writing.

Conductor Atherton has been mark-  
ed up for service after a short ab-  
sence.

G. F. Snyder a well known B. & O.  
brakeman, has been off duty for sev-  
eral days on account of sickness.

Conductor F. M. Harris has been  
marked up for service after having  
been off for a few days.

Fireman C. S. Hunt who has been off  
duty for some days with a sore throat,  
is reported as being considerably bet-  
ter at this writing.

Brakeman Y. E. Frost who has been  
laying off for a few days is working  
again.

Day Caller W. C. Millbaugh has  
been visiting in Cincinnati for some  
days.

Brakeman E. E. Saylor has O. K'd  
for duty after a short absence.

Brakeman Fields is working again,  
after having been off for a short rest.

E. A. Peck superintendent of the  
Newcastle division of the B. & O. rail-  
road, headquarters in Newcastle, was  
in the city on Sunday.

### Difficulties.

"Well, if England evacuates Egypt,  
will you evacuate Manchuria?" they  
finally asked, bluntly.

Russia coughed in a deprecating  
way.

"Pulling up stakes is one thing in  
the soft alluvium of the Nile, and quite  
another thing in the frozen soil of the  
Yalu," protested she.—Pittsburg Dis-  
patch.

### Naturally.

The Judge—Now, sir, What is your  
excuse for not wishing to serve on the  
jury?

The Turkey—Please, your Honor, I  
am opposed to capital punishment.—  
Pittsburg Dispatch.

George S. King, who built the first  
steel furnace at Johnstown, Pa., which  
eventually grew into the plant of the  
Columbia Steel company, celebrated his  
twenty-fourth birthday recently.

President and Madame Loubet, of  
France, have sent a bewildering col-  
lection of toys to the two little Italian  
princesses, Yolande and Mafalda,  
among which is a rabbit that plays the  
violin.

Mr. John Morley will visit this coun-  
try in the autumn of 1904, when he is  
to deliver the address at the opening  
of the technical college in Pittsburgh,  
founded by Mr. Carnegie.

## Scrofula

Few are entirely free from it.  
It may develop so slowly as to cause  
little if any disturbance during the whole  
period of childhood.

It may in a premature maturity of the  
system and before the system is fully  
developed manifest itself in such various  
forms as to cause much trouble.

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free from it and for its complete eradica-  
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## NEWARK BRANCH

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## OBITUARY.

### J. W. EVANS.

The funeral of J. W. Evans whose  
death occurred in San Antonio, Texas  
December 24, will take place from his  
late residence, 108 Moult street, Tues-  
day afternoon at one o'clock. The ser-  
vices will be held under the joint aus-  
pices of the First Congregational  
church and K. of P. lodge No. 13. Inter-  
ment in Cedar Hill cemetery.

The deceased was well known in  
Newark. He was born on Moult street,  
September 18, 1860. When three weeks  
old his mother died, and for 12 years,  
or until his father was married a sec-  
ond time, he was bereft of a mother's  
love and care.

When 12 years old he left the public  
school and for a time worked in a glass  
house and later in Garber & Vance's  
planing mill, where he was unfortun-  
ately enough to lose the index and mid-  
dle fingers of his left hand, and to con-  
tract bronchitis, from which he suf-  
fered more or less the remainder of  
his life.

For about three years he was con-  
nected with the Newark fire depart-  
ment and later was engaged as sales-  
man in the hardware stores of D. L.  
Jones and Elliott & Wilson. In 1894  
he established the Newark Steam Ren-  
ovating works, which was a successful  
business venture. Mr. Evans never  
enjoyed rugged health. In 1882 he took  
a trip to the west in the hope of im-  
proving his physical condition. In 1900  
he suffered an attack of pneumonia,  
which left him a physical wreck. Feel-  
ing, however, that he had much to live  
for, and possessed of an indomitable  
will, he resolved, if possible to regain  
what he had lost. This he endeavored  
to do in part by a change of climate.  
He visited the mountains of Pennsylv-  
ania and Colorado, and spent three  
years or more in different points in  
Texas. In 1895 he was married to Miss  
Magdalen Jones, daughter of Rev. Ben-  
jamin Jones of Granville. To this union  
three sons were born. The wife  
and second son Benjamin, together  
with a sister, Mrs. Green of Akron, sur-  
vive.

Mr. Evans was a member of the  
First Congregational church, of the  
Woodmen and K. of P. fraternities, and  
other organizations. He was twice  
elected councilman from the Eighth  
ward.

He lived a strenuous life, applying  
himself unsparingly to whatever work  
he had in hand. To his family he was  
indulgent to the fullest extent of his  
ability. To his friends he was loyal,  
ever disposed to extend a helping hand  
in time of need. During the last two  
weeks of his life he came to know what  
hitherto he refused to believe, namely,  
that he had been fighting for many a  
day, a losing game. When the force of  
this fact broke in full upon him his  
resignation to the inevitable was com-  
plete. Faith grew apace and he came  
to a realizing sense of the blessed  
truth that "Jesus can make the dying  
bed as soft as downy pillows are."

When once filled in a Moslem grave  
is never reopened on any account. To  
remove the faintest chance of it thus  
being defiled a cypress tree is planted  
after every interment so that the cem-  
eteries resemble forests



# AMARYLLIS

By MARTHA McCULLOCH-WILLIAMS

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Outside it was raw and gusty, with white, high lying clouds scudding so thickly across a pale sky that only wan and watery sunshine strained through the breaks between. Inside there was the balm of May, especially in the south parlor, where I knew I should find Myrilla.

Myrilla is tall and twenty, with a child's foot and a turn of the head and neck that would become an empress. She has coral red lips, a fine, straight nose, olive skin, dark almond eyes, heavily lashed and lidded, and a low, straight brow, deeply shadowed by dusky flax hair. In virtue of all this, she reigns as a queen over most men. We had been engaged until two weeks ago—to be exact, until the date of the Verine's ball and the episode of the Grantley girl.

The ball is ancient history now; besides, it has really nothing to do with the case. I left off dancing—with the Grantley girl at 4 a. m.—to fling myself into tweeds and set forth upon a week's journey. Coming home from it, I found my table cluttered with my letters to Myrilla down to the most fragmentary note—those of the last week unopened—my ring, my books, a bracelet or two, the locket with my picture and a litter of those idiotic things one sends at Christmas and Easter on birthdays. It was this litter that saved me from utter despair. I reasoned that if Myrilla had cared enough for me to keep it all this time she could not give up caring for me in a moment.

Still, I knew there was a tough job ahead. But I did not dream she would go to the length of refusing to see or hear me or even to listen to my side of the case through Aunt Bab, most tactful of intermediaries. Her people backed her, too—all but Dicky. Dicky is fifteen and owns the distinction of being the only thing in trousers Myrilla has found herself unable to subjugate. I cannot datter myself that Dicky's advocacy of my cause was wholly disinterested. Dicky has a fine taste in terrier pups and a relish for stolen gallops on my hunters. At home he is allowed nothing more hazardous than a steady going cob. However that may be, it meant a lot to have any sort of friend at court. Otherwise, how should the hall door have swung open at my approach? The servants had strict orders to shut it civilly in my face.

"She's in there," it beats me why you want her, why you want any girl, when you've got heaps of dogs and horses," Dicky said, grinning, as I shot past him. "She's been real hateful polite; no good for even a fight this whole week." Dicky's voice pursued me down the hall.

"The south parlor is a square jut, open upon three sides to the sun, with walls more than half windows, iron barred outside and full of green growing things within. There is a big fireplace. Myrilla stood in front of it, her eyes intently fixed upon the smoldering logs. At my entrance she started over so little, turned her head the least bit and kept on staring in the fire.

"Myrilla," I ventured irresolutely, my hand still on the doorknob. She sat down and took up her embroidery, her face still further averted. Then I knew I had won half a point. If she had been as angry as she believed herself to be she would have marched away with her nose in the air. I began again formally, "Miss Grey," but stopped short. She had begun to whistle over her work softly, meditatively, as though she knew herself to be alone.

Something happened then. I am neither poet nor romancer, but my ranging eye saw in the south window a creature of tropic charm, slim and tall, green gowned as a wood nymph, with wonderful golden tawny eyes and a crown still more wonderfully red. As I went to her she shivered and set all her green gown fluttering defensively, but I paid no heed to it, only said joyously, baring my head:

"Amaryllis! You are a real godsend! I was never so glad to see any one in all my life."

Myrilla's head came around so that I saw her profile out of the tail of my eye. I fancied she stared, but dared not make sure of it. My wood nymph barely nodded; her tremors were all at rest. I bent toward her low enough to look into her golden tawny eyes and ran on:

"What have you done to yourself? You are so beautiful, so strangely, so rarely beautiful, it makes me desperate that I did not keep my heart for you, or, rather, it would make me desperate if hearts were things that could be given or kept at will."

Certainly the wood nymph stared; the golden tawny eyes looked at me unwinking. Myrilla's head had turned a little more. Her lips were the least bit parted, as though her breath came hard. I straightened and stuck a hand in my pocket as I added:

"The pity of it! There's a true heart gone to waste! True hearts are none so plenty, Amaryllis."

"Certainly they are not," came scornfully from the fireside. I affected not to hear and went on manfully:

"I've played and lost—lost so miserably. Listen—then tell me if you think I quite deserve what I am getting?"

"I am going away," came faintly from Myrilla's chair, but Myrilla herself sat still and even made a pretense of putting stitches into her work. Flood-

ing me silent through a long minute, she sat very straight and loud:

"Naturally one is nervous at finding oneself alone with a lunatic. Only lunatics talk to things as though they were people."

"Don't mind her, Amaryllis," I said softly. "Poor creature, she is jealous. She thinks you are no more than a lily blooming in a pot. We know better, of course."

"Really I did not dream you had so much imagination," Myrilla said outright, snipping her thread as she spoke. I stared harder than ever at Amaryllis, saying: "Imagination is a fearful thing, sometimes. I am glad, Amaryllis, you altogether lack it. You would never see in ordinary civilities to a pretty girl anything to turn your lovely golden tawny eyes green."

"Dancing or sitting out every other number, I suppose, comes under the head of 'ordinary civilities,'" Myrilla said, her lip curling.

I kept on quietly: "And even if you felt hurt you would let me explain. The Verine's have hearts as big as their fortune. Thus it happens I owe them what money can never pay. Not so many years back there was a big flurry in the street that put my governor in the worst sort of hole. It needed a cool million to get him out, and a Verine million did it. Yet the governor was hardly an acquaintance. Verine learned his extremity by chance and came to his help because, as he phrased it, he didn't think the other side was putting up a square deal. It does not lessen the obligation that he got his million back, plus a good profit. Eventually the Grantley girl will have it, with several millions more. She is a granddaughter—unacknowledged because Mme. Verine wishes to seem as young as their fortune—but the very apple of the Verine eye, etc. They wanted her to be the belle of the ball—she was say and sensitive and frightened half out of her wits. Somehow she trusted me."

"I don't at all wonder at that," said a voice from the fireplace.

I bowed gravely and resumed: "When she is not frightened she is pretty, Amaryllis. Her head is splendidly red—not quite so red as yours. She is light on her feet, too, and loves to dance as well as the flowers do. The trouble is she has not yet quite caught the rhythms she must move to, so needs must lean heavily upon her partner. I understood; some of the others did not. Occasionally one was flurried, still more occasionally one impertinent. And a single call let her see he was ashamed of dancing with her in spite of the millions. At her first ball! Think of it! I had to take away the sting of it somehow. Perhaps I did seem devoted, but she didn't misunderstand. I told her about Myrilla in our very first waltz."

A little inarticulate cry from the fireplace here. Covertly I saw tears on Myrilla's cheeks. She made as though to rise, but sank back, turned away her head and resumed the furious stabbing with her needle. I gathered the greenery of Amaryllis in my hands, laid my cheek against it and said dreamily:

"Amaryllis, tell me why I am fated to love dusky hair. All the painters and poets agree that red is ever so much more beautiful."

"Are you sure, quite sure, you do love it?" Myrilla asked tremulously. She was not answered in words.

Five minutes later Dicky, bursting in upon us, found us side by side, looking down at Amaryllis through sunshine grown suddenly and magically warm and golden. After a long look Dicky whistled, turned on his heel and said from the door over his shoulder: "So you two have made it up. McSniffers said you would, 'cause that red lily bloomed so far ahead of time. But I don't care about that. All I want is to know what you're going to give me when you get married."

"What constitutes Death?" Is the cessation of the heart's action an invariable sign of death? There is no record of the case of a woman whose heart was revived by artificial respiration some time after she was supposed to have died, but the heart stopped again when the artificial respiration was given up. There is on record also the case of a decapitated murderer whose heart continued to beat for an hour after the execution. Was the man dead?

Obviously the cessation of the brain's activities is no criterion. A medical authority who has lately considered this absorbing and important question offers the following definition of what we call "death": "Death," it is suggested, is the name given to the inability of the organs of the body to act together with that harmony which is characteristic of "life," although the derangement of this vital harmony does not preclude a possible activity of the individual organs, which recalls Herbert Spencer's well known definition of life as a continued adjustment of internal relations to external relations.—Harper's Weekly.

**A Bargain.** "I have something for you here, my love," said Mr. Darley as he proceeded to open a large round box.

"What is it, precious?"

"Wait and see."

Darley carefully unwrapped the article and disclosed a lady's hat.

"Isn't it a beauty?" he asked. "I bought it myself as a surprise to you. Don't you think it is a perfect dream?"

Mrs. Darley gazed at the hat and burst into tears.

"I can't wear it!" she cried. "It doesn't suit me at all. You meant to please me, I know, but it isn't my style at all."

"Don't cry, dear. The milliner said you could exchange it, and if you'll agree not to buy any ties for me hereafter I'll let you select your own hats and bonnets."

An agreement was concluded on that basis.

## Fun of the College Boys

ONE more slight touch and it would be finished. Horrors! A false stroke! The artist rushed forward and eagerly scanned his masterpiece. No, it had not been damaged. He was saved. True barber that he was, he drew off and meditatively examined his subject.

"That was indeed a close shave," he sighed.—Connell Widow.

"I haven't thought of a joke all day." "You must be out of humor!"—Yale Record.

A. D. Vyse—An onion a day keeps the doctor away.

X. Septhum—Yes, and everybody else.—Pennsylvania Punch Bowl.

Shurenuff—Gosh! I wish I went to school in Russia. Satisfied—Why? Shurenuff—It must take all day to call the roll there.—Pennsylvania Punch Bowl.

Ethel—So Edith has finally caught the nobleman she was trying to hook? Marjory—Yes; she said in her last letter that he belonged to the landed gentry.—Yale Record.

**Served Him Right.** It was a raw, cold night, and the rain fell pitilessly as an omnibus drew up at the corner of Oxford street. A thin clad young woman stood on the curb and looked imploringly at the conductor. The latter, an Irishman, speaking in reply to the mute inquiry, said: "Shure, it's full I am, but, 'come on, me honey, in wid ye. O'll chance it." The little woman was squeezed into a seat, but the bus had not proceeded very far when the following incident occurred: In the corner seat was a fop, who, with eyeglasses firmly fixed, had been watching the proceedings, and as the vehicle eased up he called out:

"Conductah!" "Sor!"

"Are you aware that you have one over your number?"

"Ave I, sor? O'll see." Pat counts, beginning at the opposite corner, leaving the "Johnny" until the last—"Wan, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen—So I have, and be Jove, ye're the very wan. Out ye come!" And he went.—Birmingham Post.

**Family Pride.** A-B-C-D-E-F.

"Have you an excuse from your mother?"

"Well, teacher, I had one, but poor ma writes so bum dat I was acshurly ashamed ter bring it!"—Chicago American.

**Natural Inference.** Mrs. Gridley had not been well enough to go to church; nevertheless her son Dobby was required to attend as usual.

"Now," said she when he came in, "what was the sermon about, Robert?" "The sermon?" replied the boy. "Well, I don't know. It was sort of rambling like; but, judging from the text, I guess it was about cash boys."

"Nonsense!" she remarked. "What put that into your head? Pray, what was the text?"

"All the days of my appointed time will I wait till my change come."—Youth.

**Happy Combination.** It happened down on the beach. A little boy sat on a fence, swinging his feet. Beside him sat a girl playmate. "I'll tell you my name if you'll tell me yours," he said.

"Well, what is it?" said the girl. "Lemmy Kishew. What is yours?"

"Ollie Wright."

Then she dug her fairy toes into the sand and waited.—Lyre.

**Poetic License.** "Now, this won't do, you know." "What won't?"

"This line, 'Her eyes were like stars.'"

"Why not?"

"Why, poets have been using that for ages. Be up to date! Say 'Like radium.'"

**What Made Her Happy.** Colwigger—Were you really pleased that the woman next door had a new coat?

Mrs. Colwigger—Not at first, my dear, but I was as soon as I found out that it wasn't real fur.—Judge.

**Stopped Gambling.** Blunt—I hear Blones has stopped gambling.

Front—That's true. I bet him \$100 this morning that he couldn't stop, and he took me up.—Youkers Herald.

**The Stamp.** How can right minded people be otherwise than sad when they think of the loss of those millions which nobody ever had?—Life.

## A MISSOURI STATESMAN.

Judge De Armond, Assistant Minority Leader in the House.

Congressman David A. De Armond of Missouri, assistant floor leader of the minority forces, is one of the brightest and ablest of the Democrats in the house and also has the distinction of being the dean of his state delegation to congress.

Judge De Armond is a native of Pennsylvania and was educated in the Dickinson seminary of Williamsport. When a young man he went west to seek his fortune, finding a home in Iowa. Later he moved to Missouri, finally settling in Butler, his present home, where he practiced law, gradually rising in legal and political life until now his constituents have returned him to congress for a seventh term.

He made three of the most notable speeches heard in the last congress, two upon the Philippines and one upon the admission of Confederate soldiers to national soldiers' homes. These were made extemporaneously, as is Judge De Armond's custom, yet they attracted



JUDGE DAVID A. DE ARMOND.

wide attention and were pronounced the equal of any made during the Fifty-seventh congress.

Preference has come to him practically unsought. Before going to congress he was a state senator, having been elected in a district regarded as hopelessly Republican. Later he was elected to a circuit judgeship and also served as a Missouri supreme court commissioner. Although he did not enter the race for congress in 1880 until after others had canvassed the district for months, while he made no canvass at all, he won the nomination with ease. Judge De Armond is in his fifty-ninth year.

## PRAYING BY WHEEL.

Queer Custom That Prevalts Among the Buddhists of Tibet.

Whatever political result may accrue from the advance of Colonel Young-husband, British commissioner, with an armed force into Tibet, it is not unlikely that his visit will in a measure lift the veil which has so long hidden that land of mystery from the world.

Tibet is ruled by Buddhist priests, or lamas, and religion enters largely into the everyday life of the people. One of the peculiar features of Buddhism as practiced by the Tibetans is the use of prayer wheels. The wheel



TIBETIAN LAMA TURNING HIS PRAYER WHEEL.

usually consists of a small cylinder of metal fixed on an axle, which serves as a handle. The cylinder contains strips of paper on which prayers and incantations have been written by the lamas, and revolving them is supposed to confer benefits on the whirler.

Besides the hand wheels, praying water wheels are also used.

Sven Hedin in his book tells of seeing a shed in which were forty-four red prayer wheels forming a square of eleven on each side. Below them was a notched device so arranged that the device by pulling his hand along could walk round and round, turning the whole lot with but little effort.

One of the Tibetan's modes of revenge is to secure his enemy's prayer wheel and turn it in the opposite direction from that used in praying. This is considered a deadly insult and is supposed to inflict great injury on the owner of the wheel.

## Encouragement For The Boy of Today.

"M" boy, why so sad?" The kindly father as he spoke laid his hand on his son's shoulder as he bent over his desk at home with downcast face.

"You are young yet, with all of life before you. Tell me of what you were thinking."

"I was thinking, father," said the boy, "of my education. I started at four, if you will remember, in the kindergarten. From thence I went to the primary school. Then I spent four years in the high school. Now I am booked for four years in college. After that I will take a two years' supplementary course. Then I shall have to go to Germany for four years, then back again to a special course here. When will it all end?"

The father smiled encouragingly. "Have no fear," he cried. "It is true that our modern system of education is a bit trying, but do not falter. My boy, I firmly believe that by the time you are fifty you will be fully equipped for your life task."—Life.

**Her Error.** "Is this Mr. Cazoo?" asked the fair young thing, with a timid smile.

"It is," politely said the young man with the long hair, making a courteous bow.

"Oh, Mr. Cazoo," she exclaimed, "I have so often wished to meet you! I know you will think it dreadfully improper of me to speak to you thus, but—"

"Not at all, not at all," he smiled, shaking his hair soothingly. "Lots of girls do so, I assure you."

"Then I feel encouraged to speak to you about your wonderful work."

"Thank you. You are most kind."

"Oh, I do think your efforts are sublime!"

"You flatter me," with a heavy blush. "Indeed I do not. Your splendid lines in 'The Conflict' are simply grand. All our class—"

"My dear young lady, you overwhelm me. I must say I envy—"

"And, oh, that beautiful soliloquy!" "Yes? That was in the last game, where I stood on the side lines and talked to myself after I—"

"Side lines? Why, what kind of lines are they?"

"On the edge of the field, you know."

"Mercy! Aren't you Mr. Cazoo, the poet?"

"Great Scott, no! You mean that fool brother of mine, Algy. I'm Bill Cazoo, the center rush of the football!"

But she was gone.—Judge.



She—Which figure in the quadrille did you like best? He—Yours, dear.

**A Favorable Impression.** Mr. Subbubs—I sent a girl to see you from the employment agency this morning. Did she call?

Mrs. Subbubs—Yes. She interviewed me.

Mr. Subbubs—And will she take the place?

Mrs. Subbubs—I hope so. She was pleased to say she thought I would be respectful to her.—Philadelphia Press.

**His Idea of It.** "Don't you think that the world always develops a man to meet an emergency?"

"Certainly," answered Senator Sorghum, "and what the world requires now is a few men to gather in all the money that is floating around loose."

**It Was His Son.** Miller—Was that your son I saw you with yesterday?

Dale—The young chap who was giving me advice how to succeed in business and to make a place for oneself in the world? Yes, that was George.—Boston Transcript.

**Lavish Expenditures.** "Why do some people refer to the United States senate as 'the millionaires' club'?"

"I suppose," said the advocate of prompt legislation, "it is on the theory that time is money."—Washington Star.

**The Extremity of Bliss.** The Parson—Dis am mos' positively de mos' 'tremely juiciest chicking I ever put in mah mouth. Br'er Jackson.

Br'er Jackson—Yes, sah, pahson; dat chicking wuz raised an' truned up on watermillions, sah.—Leslie's Weekly.

**The Retort Courteous.** Teacher—Willie, are you sure you are telling me the truth?

Willie—Do you consider, Miss Trimmer, that a proper question to ask a gentleman?—Boston Transcript.

## AN ECHO OF THE A. R. U.

Debs Denounces as a Calumny a Story of Current Circulation.

The story is circulated—that the American Railway union and its president never paid a dollar of the court costs assessed against them during their trials and that they also left their attorneys' fees and other claims unpaid. The story is an absolute falsehood. The A. R. U. and its president paid every court claim and every lawyer fee in full and owes neither the one nor the other a farthing.

In this connection it may be said that it cost a fortune to reach the supreme court of the United States to be told there that the lower court had final jurisdiction in a contempt proceeding. The writer was opposed to making the effort, but was overruled, the plea being made, especially by the lawyers, that the decision would be of incalculable value as a precedent to the working class. The litigation cost many thousands of dollars. All the money we had in the treasury of the A. R. U., all we had personally, all we could beg, borrow or raise in any other way, went to satisfy the lawyers and courts. This was the price of our conviction.

It is true that we agreed to pay some of the lawyers still more in case the A. R. U. recovered financially, but it was distinctly understood that if the organization did not recover its financial standing there should be no claim, and the large fees already paid were to be accepted as payment in full.

The A. R. U. did not recover, for all the railroad corporations combined to crush it.

Therefore the contingent fees were not due and were never claimed.

The lawyers were well paid, and every dollar due them was settled in full according to agreement, and every dollar due on every other claim was paid in full.

Neither the A. R. U. nor its president owes any court or any lawyer a dollar, and any assertion to the contrary is a lie and a calumny.—Eugene V. Debs in Social Democratic Herald.

## CARPENTERS TO UNITE.

Agreement Finally Reached Between Conflicting Organizations.

Complying with the decision of Umpire Strasser, two committees, representing the Brotherhood of Carpenters and the American branch of the Amalgamated Society of Carpenters, have been sitting in Buffalo arranging details of the temporary working agreement between the two great unions, which is to be inaugurated on Jan. 1 and which provides for mutual recognition and an interchange of cards throughout the year 1904.

Beginning with 1905 the consolidation of the two unions takes effect under the title "United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America," the general secretary of the Amalgamated society becoming the assistant secretary of the consolidated brotherhood and the elaborate system of dues and benefits of the English society being incorporated with the constitution of the brotherhood. This includes dues running from 15 to 35 cents a week and allows out of work, strike, disability, old age and death benefits and also an insurance covering loss of tools by fire or other unavoidable circumstance. The policy of equalization of funds, which has proved very satisfactory to the cigarmakers, is a part of the new scheme proposed for the carpenters.

On or before Jan. 10, 1904, each general union is to deposit \$25,000 as a guarantee that this decision will be faithfully carried out, \$5,000 at Indianapolis, \$5,000 in a Chicago bank, \$5,000 in Cleveland and \$10,000 at New York city, the president, secretary and treasurer of the American Federation acting as trustees of this guarantee fund.

**What Must Unskilled Workers Do?** What can the unskilled workmen do who lack the quickness and the ability that are required by the trades unions? This question is brought up by a young lady named Miss A. M. Maclean, who has been investigating conditions in the sweatshops of New York and Chicago.

Hundreds, perhaps thousands, of women and girls are in the clothing trade, but they lack the skill to come up to the trades union standard. They earn as low as 50 cents a day and work thirteen and fourteen hours to get it. They can never hope to work fast enough to satisfy a factory foreman. What are they to do?—New York Journal.

**War to Death on Unionism.** A life and death struggle for trades unionism in Utah is on. After a conference the other day in the office of Governor Wells the operators gave out this ultimatum in the words of President Kraemer:

"The operators will never agree to recognize the unions. We will close the mines permanently before unionism shall obtain a foothold in Utah. There are too many dollars in eastern capital invested in these mines, but after long consideration of the subject we have decided to fight to the last ditch against unionizing our mines. We shall never recognize the unions, and this is final."

**Responsibility For Strikes.** The responsibility for most of the strikes lies with our captains of industry. They seem to forget that there is a real partnership between the capitalist and the man who works and that together they must prosper or decline.

Trades unions have played a great part in this world, and they have been an effective agency in enabling laborers and employers to adjust the laborer's rights and given services which cannot help but be effective to both.—W. Bourke Cockran.

## FINE CANDIES

We have just received for the holiday trade large shipments of the following well known high grade candies:

RUBEL & ALLEGRETTI'S GUNTHER'S, FENWAY'S, LOWNEYS.

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## Holiday Goods

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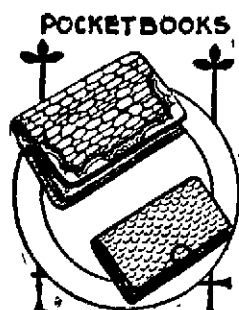
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Our line of fine Leather books of all kinds has caused the most flattering compliments. Exquisite Russia Books and other foreign novelties in Pocketbooks, ranging from \$2.50 to \$5 are here in abundance. Real leathers of many kinds are made into wrist bags, auto bags, carriage bags, and other novel shapes. These foreign books excel in the fineness of the leather and make a gift you are proud to show.

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### OPEN MEETING

At Taylor Hall Attended by a Large Number—Program for January Announced Sunday.

The open meeting in Taylor Hall on Sunday afternoon was largely attended, between 400 and 500 people being present.

The following musical numbers were very delightfully rendered by Miss Mabel Phillips and Mr. Walter Dentley Ball:

"In Old Judea," Gounod.  
Duett, "Twilight," Novin.  
"The Day is Ended," Bartlett.

A finer set of views on the Life of Christ could probably not be secured than was shown in connection with Prof. Williams' address. Everyone was the reproduction of some famous painting and most of them were beautifully colored. The happy setting given to each view as it appeared on the screen, by Prof. Williams, made them doubly interesting.

Taken all in all it was a most appropriate holiday service.

At the close of the meeting Secretary Elversole announced the following program for the month of January for the men of Newark:

A series of addresses on "Fundamental Questions of Religion," by T. G. Duval, Ph. D., dean of Ohio Wesleyan University, at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoons at 2 o'clock.

January 3—Toleration.

January 10—What is Conversion?

January 17—Does the Moral Man Need Religion?

January 24—Why a Personal Services?

January 31—Are We Sure of a Future Life?

A choice musical program precedes the address every Sunday.

### Closing Out Sale.

As I expect to close out my stock of boots, shoes, rubbers, etc., I will offer same at prices below cost. Call early and get choice of the stock.

JOHN HISER,  
12-8-d-4f No. 7 North Fourth St.

### NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

Newark, Ohio, December 5, 1903.

The regular meeting of the stockholders of the Peoples National Bank for the election of directors, will be held in the directors' room of the bank on January 12, 1904, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m.

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN,  
d&w 12-23-4f President.

Farm machinery saved in the plant; and gathering of last year's crop in the United States \$700,000,000.

## Overcoats! Overcoats!

**Big Reduction**  
On all Men's, Boys' and Children's Overcoats at

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## INHALATION

OF SUPERHEATED STEAM CAUSED  
MR. EDGERLY'S DEATH.

No Difficulty in Identifying the Body.  
Burial at Mt. Clemens—Kindness  
of J. F. Irwin.

Mr. F. M. Smith arrived in Newark at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon from Connellsville, Pa., where he went to identify the body of James I. Edgerly, who was killed in the terrible railroad wreck at Dawson last Wednesday night.

His sad task was not difficult as the body was not mutilated to any extent, Mr. Edgerly's death having been caused like most of the others, by the inhalation of superheated steam, which rushed into the car in which he rode, after it had been thrown on top of the steam dome of the locomotive.

Mr. Smith was profuse in his thanks to Superintendent J. F. Irwin of Connellsville, formerly of Newark, for favors extended to him, and for his efforts to make the task more easy of accomplishment. As soon as Mr. Irwin learned that a Newark man was among the killed, whose bodies had been recovered, he had it taken among the first to an undertaker's to be prepared for burial.

As soon as this was done the body was sent by express to Mt. Clemens, Mich., for interment. Mr. Smith bringing home the value of his dead friend.

Mrs. Cordelia Edgerly and Miss Betty Edgerly, mother and sister of the dead man, accompanied by Mr. A. C. Hatch, went to Mt. Clemens Saturday afternoon getting there about 1 o'clock Sunday morning. Mr. Hatch made all arrangements for the funeral which took place Monday afternoon at two o'clock, instead of Sunday as was originally intended.

The casket was not opened for the inspection of the relatives, but Mr. Hatch was shown the remains, and although slightly discolored he had no difficulty in recognizing the features of the man he had known so intimately in life. The face and hands showed the evidences of the fearful agony the deceased must have suffered before death relieved him. One eye was gone, the face cut in several places, and the flesh shriveled in a terrible manner.

Mr. Hatch returned to Newark Sunday night, bringing with him the personal effects of Mr. Edgerly, which were shipped with the body.

Mrs. and Miss Edgerly will return to Newark about next Friday.

## A QUESTION.

WHAT WOULD YOU GIVE DRUG-GIST FRANK D. HALL

If He Would Guarantee to Restore You to Health and Strength.

It seems as though any person who is in ill health, all run down, without strength and ambition enough to hardly get around, would give Mr. Hall, or any one, all they possess in the world for a guaranteed cure.

Such a guarantee Mr. Hall offers to every person in this city, without any such sacrifice.

### Read Mr. Hall's Offer.

"I hereby guarantee that my famous cod liver oil preparation, Vinol, will restore to health all pale and ailing women and children, build up the run down, overworked and debilitated, give strength to tired weak mothers, invigorate old people, cure hanging colds and hacking coughs, bronchitis and stomach troubles, restore strength and make rich, red blood for the convalescent, create appetite and cure nervousness and irritability.

"I there should be any case of failure. I agree to refund the money for the Vinol taken. Is there an ailing person in Newark who is not willing to accept my generous proposition?"

When asked how he could do this by a reporter of the Advocate, Mr. Hall replied: "It is because I know so well of what Vinol is made, and have seen such wonderful results from its use that I am willing to back it with all I have."

You see, Vinol contains every one of the active, curative principles contained in cod liver oil, but without a drop of grease to retard its work; it is a scientific re-builder and strength creator, and will in a marvellous manner restore the sick to health and make life worth living—Frank D. Hall, druggist.

We believe Mr. Hall's offer to be generous and sincere, and would advise any of our readers who need such a medicine to try Vinol on his guarantee.—Editor.

Turkey shoot at Licking County Game club's grounds near the Park, Wednesday afternoon. Everybody invited. 25¢

Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 28—James Abeel, the young man who was arrested in Niagara Falls, Ont., on complaint of the New York police that he impersonated J. Ozden Golet and created consternation in the metropolis by making an agent love to a Sixth avenue restaurant.

Leopold's daughter, Miss Grace Anderson, refused to accompany the New York detectives and will fight extradition. He has retained a lawyer, the specific crime with which Abeel is charged is forgery in signing a name to a letter of introduction.

### CHRISTMAS

Exercises of Plymouth Congregational Church Will be Held Tuesday Night at 7:30.

The Christmas exercises of Plymouth Congregational Bible school will be held Tuesday evening at 7:30. The following is the program:

Organ voluntary.

Opening chorus, "Immanuel the Mighty."

Prayer.

Song.

Recitation, "The Shepherds' Vision," Hazel Ryan.

Song.

Recitation, "The Golden Ride," Harry Darr.

Double quartet, "The Little Christ 'Sleeps'."

Recitation, "Santa Claus on the Train," Bessie Gallagher.

Song, by the school, "Joy to the World."

Recitation, "A Christmas Hymn," Louise Suiffen.

Quartet, mixed.

Reading, selected, John Parkinson.

Chorus, "Shine Forth, Oh Star of Glory."

Recitation, "My Presents," Frank Mullen.

Solo, "Luther's Cradle Hymn," Harold Vantassel.

Recitation, "Christmas in Sweden," Wain Idle.

Anthem, by chorus.

Recitation, "When Daddy Lights the Xmas Tree," Kelly Baughman.

Chorus, "Ring, Oh Ring, Ye Joy Bells."

Recitation, "A Carol for Christmas," Emma Jones.

Address, by the pastor.

Song, by the school.

Friends are invited to attend these exercises.

LAST DANCING PARTY IN 1903.

By Prof. Hout, will be given at Brennan's hall Tuesday evening, Dec. 29.

The Professor extends a cordial invitation to all his pupils and their friends. Music by Dowling orchestra.

Dancing from 8 to 12.

## BULLET

That Killed Hill Struck His Sister and Also Wounded Another Person—Who Fired It?

Warrington, Ga., December 28—With a bullet in his heart, Will Hill, son of A. R. Hill, one of the most prominent planters of Warren county, fell dead at a country dance at the home of Augustus Reese, near Cadley. The same bullet that killed Hill man gled the hand of his sister, Mrs. Sim Harper, and went through her husband's nose. Who fired the shot is a question that no one has been able to answer.

Earlier in the evening Hill had had trouble with the fiddler following a dispute the local musician had had with Hill's younger brother over the amount paid him. Hill was drinking in a quarrelsome mood, and displayed his pistol. His sister and another woman tried to take it away from him, and while the scuffle which ensued was in progress a shot rang out and Hill fell to the floor, a bullet having pierced his heart. Both the women declare that pistol was pointed away from Hill when the shot was heard.

A strange incident is that the pistol over which the scuffle took place, disappeared immediately after the shot, so that it has been impossible to tell whether or not the shot was fired from it. Relatives of the dead man declare that he was murdered.

East Main Street Church.

The children belonging to the primary and intermediate departments of the East Main Street M. E. Sunday school will be given a Christmas party in the church parlors next Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The parents are invited also. A program and treat will be provided. Children will bring pinecones.

Read the Advocate want column.

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Ladies' Misses and Children's

## Gloak Sale

Saturday all Day and Evening.

**\$2.50** Takes choice of any Ladies \$5.00 Cloak in the house.

**\$5.00** Takes any Ladies \$10.00 coat. These are all satin lined, good Kersey cloth, military capes, pouch sleeves and button trimmed.



**\$10.00** Takes choice of any \$16.50 and \$18.50 coat all military capes, satin lined and handsomely trimmed. You will find some beauties in this line.

**\$12.50** Takes choice of any \$20.00 and \$22.50 coat. All the latest effects will be found in this line, made in Zibeline, Milton, and Kersey cloth, satin lined, full military capes, button trimmed.

**\$7.50** Takes choice of any \$12.50 and \$14.50 Ladies cloak. This line has a great variety of colors and cloths, all nicely trimmed, satin lined and military capes.

**\$15.00** Takes choice of any Cloth or Velour coat in the house. Some Velour coats worth up to \$38.50, cloth coats worth up to \$30.00. All go at \$15.

### Children's Cloaks

**\$1.98** Takes choice of children's \$3.98 coats, sizes 4 to 14.

**\$2.98** Takes choice of children's \$5.00 caped coats, all colors.

**\$3.98** Takes choice of children's \$6.50 and \$7.00 coats, all colors and cloths.

**\$4.98** Takes choice of children's \$8.50 and \$9.00 coats. Some beauties in this line.

**\$6.50** Takes choice of \$10.98 to \$13.50 children's coats.

**NOTICE! SPECIAL COMFORT and BLANKET SALE**  
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### AT Y. M. C. A.

Afternoon and Evening Program of Interest Announced for Next Friday, January 1, 1904.

The men of Newark are invited to spend New Year's afternoon at the Young Men's Christian Association building. The program follows: 2 to 4:30, in reception room and parlors:

Informal reception.

Art and Calendar Exhibit.

Marsh's Orchestra.

Mr. Ustin G. Perrill (impersonator).

Voal solos, Games, etc.

1:30 to 6, in the Gymnasium:

Gymnastic Carnival.

Mass Calisthenics.

Apparatus Work.

Tumbling.

Class Games.

Volley Ball and Basket Ball.

6 to 7:30, in the Junior rooms:

New Years Supper, served by social committee.

Concert on a "Chase Piano" layer.

Mr. Perrill.

8 to 10, in Taylor Hall:

"Mrs. Wiggs in the Cabbage Patch," given by Sunshine Circle of King's Daughters.

Open to the General Public.

Admission to the evening entertainment including reserved seat, 25 cents.

### Jumped Just in Time.

Lancaster, O., Dec. 28.—Car No. 7 on the Lancaster Traction line ran wild down Main street hill Sunday. The brakes refused to work and the car crashed into a Broad street car, demolishing the front platform.

Motor-man Jake Shaner jumped in time to save his life. The car was thrown into the gutter and the passengers were badly shaken up, but none was seriously injured.

### A Drawback.

"Some of these mechanical toys are quite instructive."

"They are, but they don't last long enough to give an extended lesson."—Pittsburg dispatch.

President Loubet will resume his study of astronomy as soon as he lays down the cares of state. An observatory is being built on the grounds of the chateau which the president recently purchased.

Read the Advocate want column.

### CHILDREN

OF THE POOR TO BE REMEMBERED NEW YEAR'S NIGHT.

Look About You, See What You Can Give, Then Notify the Salvation Army Ensign.

The Salvation Army is busy with preparations to entertain the little ones on New Year's night at the music hall. A ship will be built on the stage representing a two mast steamer, and the presents will be placed upon this ship.

The stage will be decorated for the occasion. The presents will consist of everything useful and needful for a child. Candy, nuts and fruit will be distributed. This means expense and labor, and Ensign Brindley will gladly accept the co-operation of any one in this undertaking. Donations of candy, nuts, fruit, toys and articles of clothing for children will be thankfully received. Send a message to 116 Vale street, or phone Cherry 606 and whatever you can give will be called for.

## BIDS

For City Money Opened Monday Afternoon in the Office of Secretary Maurath.

Bids for the deposit of moneys coming into the hands of the Board of Sinking Fund trustees were opened at 1:30 o'clock Monday afternoon by Secretary F. T. Maurath, in the presence of Messrs. W. L. Prent, W. H. Dorcer, J. A. Chilcote, members of the Board, and Solicitor P. B. Smythe.

The bids were as follows: First National Bank, 2.81 per cent. Licking County Bank, 2.51 per cent. Newark Trust Company, 3.75 per cent.

The above bids were on daily balances and the Trust Company was awarded the contract for a period of two years.

About two months ago the Licking County Bank was made the depository for the city's funds at 2.75 per cent on daily balances.

### Her Pa's Opinion

He—Love's the same as it was the day Adam was introduced to Eve.

She—Father, doesn't think so. He says Adam meant business from the start and didn't keep her guessing for a minute.—Chicago Record Herald.

### TEACHERS

Will Have a Meeting at Columbus on Tuesday—R. O. Austin is on the Program.

The first annual meeting of the Ohio State Teachers' Federation will open Tuesday afternoon at the central high school in Columbus, and continue until Thursday noon. The meeting is in the nature of a code conference and the 40 odd topics are to be discussed by several college presidents and many of the leading educators of the state. The meetings are open to the public, but members of the State Legislature and of Boards of Education are especially invited to be present and take part in the discussions.

After each topic has been presented and discussed a vote will be taken to express the consensus of opinion. At the close a legislative committee will be appointed to urge the findings of the meeting before the General Assembly.

Prof. R. O. Austin of this city is on the program Tuesday afternoon to discuss the subject of "Qualifications of Teachers in First and Second Grade High Schools."

The following are among those who expect to attend from Newark: E. P. Childs, R. O. Austin, F. H. Ottman, W. E. Painter, F. G. Steele, Cora B. Henry, Cora B. Haughey, May Van Horn, Edith Mackay.

Yokohama, Japan, Dec. 28.—An important joint meeting of the cabinet and privy council is being held at Tokyo today to consider ways and means to meet the present crisis. No difficulty is expected in providing for extraordinary expenditure, including the amount required for the completion of Seoul Fusan railway in Korea. It is now generally believed here that unless Russia is willing to reconsider her terms, Japan will immediately safeguard her interests in Korea. This does not necessarily mean war with Russia.

Washington, Dec. 28.—No publication of the text of Columbia's vote of protest to our Panama attitude is expected until the note is sent to Congress with the other documents bearing on the Panama canal, but the note says that failure on the part of the United States to hold the protest of Columbia or to accept propositions submitted will result in severance of diplomatic and commercial relations between the two countries. Gen. Reyes expects to remain in Washington ten days longer at most.

The government fish commission will raise green turtles.